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Council Gives \$250,000 To City School System

The Elba City Council voted Monday evening to appropriate \$250,000 to the Elba City Schools for renovation of the high school complex. The vote on the matter came minutes after Superintendent John Osburn completed a detailed report on planned renovations and asked the city for the money. Present with Osburn were members of the school board.

The formal request and official vote came after many months of discussion and thought by both the board members and city officials. An original stumbling block to the project was the 25-year obligation to repay the hospital loan. With the leasing of the hospital, this problem was eliminated and the city fathers felt they could borrow the money to match the \$253,743 already on hand for the project.

The money on hand came from the State of Alabama oil windfall funds and must be used for building or building improvement, and can't be used in operations of the school.

Osburn showed city officials a drawing of the area to be renovated and presented an estimated cost of \$501,519, plus architect's fee.

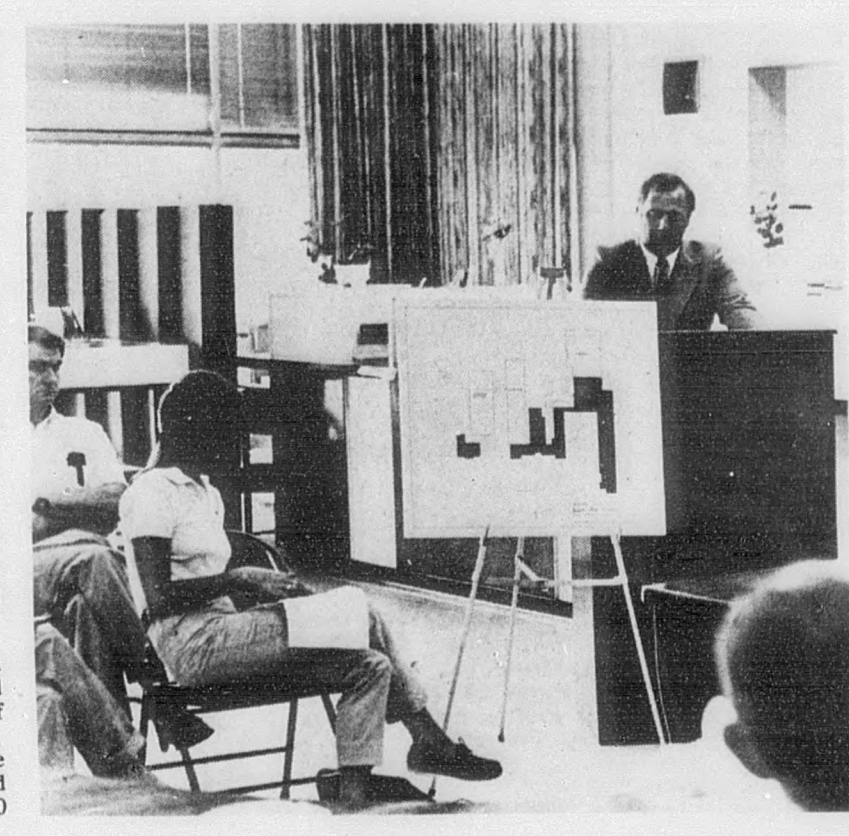
Tentative plans call for extensive remodeling where necessary to extend the useful life of the building at least 30 years.

The junior high building, which was built in 1950 and had a new roof installed three years ago, needs an estimated \$295,000 of repairs, with the three largest items being complete new wiring and modern fluorescent lights at \$65,600; complete new heating and air conditioning at \$60,940; and replacing all windows with new insulated glass units at \$48,893. Other expenditures would include new floor tile, new chalkboards, painting, acoustical tile ceiling, nine-inch insulation in ceiling, new doors and other woodwork, plus cleaning and repairing of bricks.

The auditorium repairs would cost an estimated \$33,830. This would be some floor and ceiling repair, replacing doors, renovating stage front and additional lighting and controls for stage.

After Mayor English recommended the council honor the request, Imman said he was proud of the students who graduate from the Elba school system and made the motion to honor the request. This was seconded by Councilman Charles Kennett and approved unanimously.

Richard DeVaughan, head of the Coffee County Association of Retarded Citizens, requested the support of the



Supt. of Education John Osburn tells city councilmen of plans for repairs at the city schools. The council gave the system \$250,000.

work totals \$21,000.

The high school office renovation would cost about \$28,000 and would include new lighting and a new heating and cooling system.

Osburn told Councilman Sonny Imman that work should be underway by next September, and he had been assured that bids could be let in a manner that the contractor would know he was to disrupt school as little as possible by scheduling remodeling to certain areas and completing this before starting another. Completion is expected to take six months.

Four resolutions concerning federal recreation grants were approved by the city. They authorized the mayor to sign papers connected with the grant request.

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city in a summer camp for handicapped and retarded citizens. He explained that Elba had given \$500 last year, and on a motion by Kennett, seconded by Councilman Cleo Hawkins, the \$500 grant was approved.

Excess water running under his house caused an Ann Street resident to request help from the city. Mayor English explained that engineers had been asked to survey the problem and he would give the homeowners an answer before next council meeting.

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Elba Is Now A 'Prepared City'

The City of Elba is officially a certified member of the Alabama Development Office "Prepared City Program". The official designation was made Tuesday when Governor George Wallace received a delegation of Chamber of Commerce members in his Montgomery office and presented Elba Mayor Bob English with the signed credentials acknowledging the certification.

On hand for the picture-taking session that usually accompanies such activities were, from left: Ferrin Cox, Everett Kelley, Mark Vaughan, Oscar Vaughan, John Hawthorne, ADO Community Development, Senator Crum Foshee, Representative Jimmy Holley, John Osburn, English, Tom and Alice Maddox; Jim Brook, Alabama Electric Co-op Economic Development representative; Betty Ham, Paula Mims

and ADO Director Red Etheridge.

A prepared release presented following the presentation, quoted Governor Wallace as saying, "You have certainly demonstrated your determination to help turn the economy around." The governor said, "The ship-shape condition of your industrial assets convinces me you are well-qualified now to attract new manufacturing payrolls. You are indeed a prepared city."

The Prepared City Program, administered by the Alabama Development Office, is directed toward guiding Alabama cities with populations of 20,000 or less toward strengthening their industry-attracting assets to meet specified standards. These include the readiness to show industrial prospects at least 25 acres of controlled property with high potential as a place for

located manufacturing plants.

Another PCP requirement is that a team of a minimum of 12 vitally interested business, civic and elected leaders are ready to present a polished presentation of their community to industrial prospects. Their presentation is to be accompanied with well-planned materials, relevant to livability factors and other advantages of plant location in the particular locale.

The addition Tuesday of Elba and the Bibb County city of Centerville to the Prepared City list brings the total number of Alabama prepared cities to 23.

The Prepared City Program has been a year-long project under the direction of Chamber President Merrill Shirley and Executive Director Paula Mims.

Elba Police Nab Fugitive

A man arrested by the Elba Police Department on Friday, May 13, has been identified as a California native wanted by authorities in at least three states for various crimes.

The man - Edward Pat Davis, a black

male, was arrested by officers L.C. Cook and Buddy Ammons at 2:00 a.m. as he slept in a car at Morrow Village. The Elba Police Department was alerted six weeks ago that Davis could be in the Elba area, and the arrest came during a

police stake-out.

Davis is wanted in California for the rape of a 12-year-old girl, two cases of child molestation, grand theft auto, possession of stolen credit cards and fraudulent use of credit cards. Authorities in South Carolina wish to question Davis in connection with a series of crimes, and Mobile, Alabama, police now have Davis in custody on burglary charges.

Davis, arrested in Elba for bringing stolen property into the state, has reportedly used 35 different names during his cross-country crime spree and it is believed the cases against the man will grow as authorities in other states learn of his identity.

Mastercard has stated it will prosecute for fraudulent use of its credit cards; however, the company may have to stand in line.

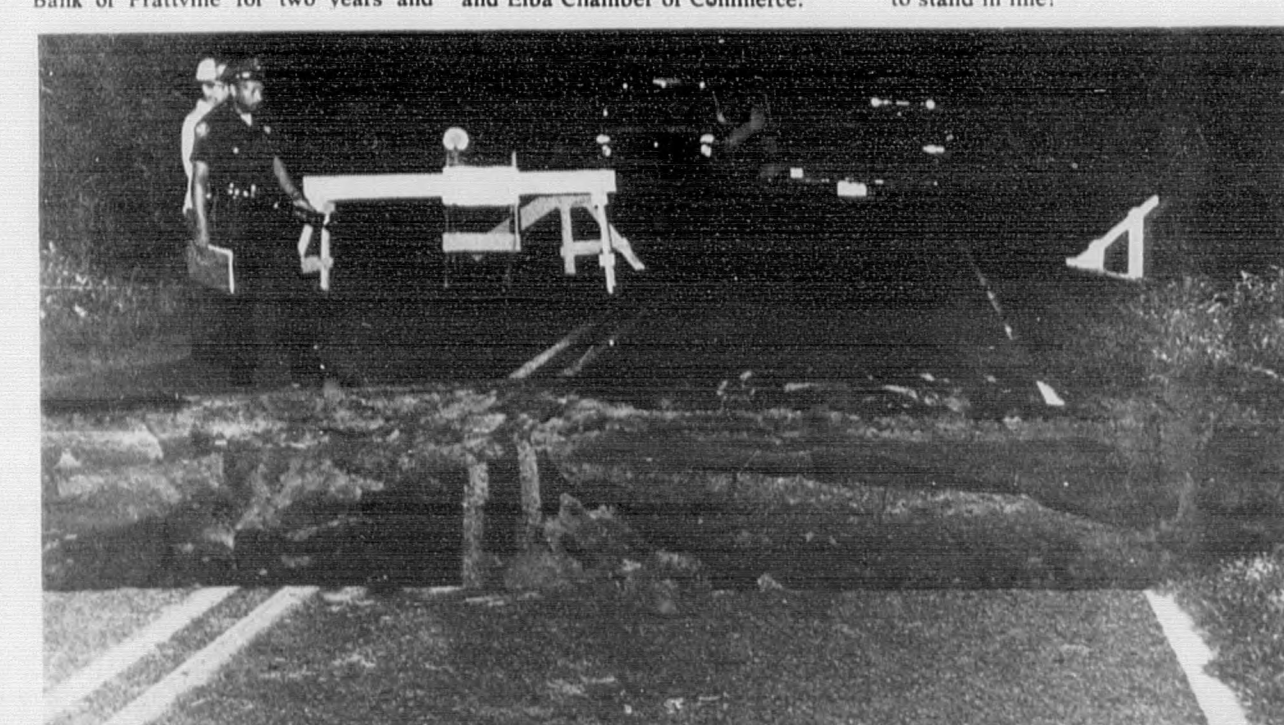
Kenneth Grantham Joins Staff At Peoples Bank

The Peoples Bank is pleased to announce that Kenneth Neal Grantham will be joining its staff June 1.

Kenneth is a graduate of Elba High School and Troy State University. He was formerly employed with Associates Finance for five years, The Citizens Bank of Prattville for two years and

First Insurance Center/The Grantham Agency since 1980.

Kenneth and his wife, Lucia, have three children, Reese and Neal. He is a past member of the Dotan Civitan Club, the Prattville Optimist Club and presently a member of the Elba Jaycees and Elba Chamber of Commerce.



Heavy Rains Damage Road, Lead To Accident

A one-vehicle accident last Saturday night sent three occupants of the automobile to Elba General Hospital for treatment. The accident happened when the car, reportedly driven by Gloria Mitchell Kyles, of Rt. 1, Samson, hit a deep washout on Taylor Mill Road. The six-to-eight-foot hole in the

highway completely cut the roadway in two during the heavy rain of Thursday night.

Barricades had been erected on both sides of the ditch, but the driver apparently failed to see these and hit

the ditch; the car then came to rest several car lengths on the other side of the hole.

Elba police officer Leonard Cook investigated the accident. The Elba Rescue Squad transported all three of the injured to the hospital for treatment. None was kept overnight.

The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, May 23, at the Courthouse in Enterprise and held a short, but very active meeting.

Present at the bi-monthly meeting were commission chairman Marion Brunson, commissioners Gilmer Grant, Rex Bouwell, Charlie Mack Martin, Eugene Bradley and Marvin Bowden.

Commission clerk Brunese Winston and county engineer Frank Charlton. After the routine adoption of the minutes of the previous meeting, the subject of overtime in the Sheriff's Dept. was brought up. The commission had previously appointed a committee to work with the sheriff on the controversial issue; however, since the two sides had not yet met, it was decided the issue will be discussed at the next regular meeting.

In a related matter, the commission was informed overtime checks were ready for Sheriff's Dept. employees for hours worked during the Donald Ard appeal case. The commission obviously ordered the checks to be written, but ignored other overtime hours because they were not incurred during an emergency situation.

Mr. Richard DeVaughan, director of the Coffee County Association of Retarded Citizens, told the commission the association would again offer a summer program for retarded citizens in the county. The program will last six weeks and consist of 1/2-day sessions, including such activities as arts and crafts and swimming. Upon DeVaughan's request, the commission agreed to donate \$1,000 to the program to help meet expenses.

Sheriff Bruce Paul stated he was in contact with a member of the State Board of Corrections last week and learned the state now offered a program to help counties renovate jail facilities. According to Paul, three supervisors will be sent to county crews aided in the county and the inmates will do work on the county jail at no cost. The county will be asked to provide materials needed; however, the inmates will do

such work as painting, wiring, plumbing and general repairs.

The county will house the inmates in the jail and also provide outside housing for the damage done to his yard by the water.

The state workers are expected to arrive in a matter of weeks and Sheriff Paul assured the commission there was enough work to "keep 'em busy."

The sheriff also reported of a Cooperative Agreement Program offered by the U.S. Marshall's Service, where money is set aside for construction and renovation of jail facilities.

Under the program, \$15,000 is available for renovation and \$40,000 for construction of county jails. In exchange for the grant, a county would have to agree to house Federal prisoners at the county jail. The county would also receive a per diem allowance of \$12 - 18 per prisoner, but the fact prisoners could be in the jail for up to 25 years raised a few eyebrows and resulted in the sheriff suggesting the feasibility of the program be studied further.

Before leaving the meeting, Sheriff Paul stated the jail now held 36 inmates, including 17 state prisoners. He estimated the jail would be free of state prisoners by mid-July, but reported the state still owed over \$115,000 in medical bills for state prisoners and a large amount for housing the inmates.

The commission instructed the sheriff to make all efforts necessary to recover the funds.

Engineer Frank Charlton stated the county was in desperate need of an assistant engineer since the sudden death of Eugene Jacobs, a long time county engineering employee. Charlton reported the state would pay half the salary and recommended hiring a recent applicant for the position. An interview was set up to meet with the applicant.

The tornado in New Brockton caused severe damage, reminded the engineer, who reported all county crews aided in clean-up operations. The area was later declared a disaster area by the governor, and state crews came in to finish the operation.

A visitor to the meeting complained of drainage problems at the Jeter sub-division, near New Brockton, and passed around photographs of the damage done to his yard by the water. The engineer explained the history of the problem, listed possible solutions and stated he would meet with all landowners involved in an effort to solve the problem.

In other action at Monday's meeting, the commission:

***was informed by Sheriff Paul that his department had put in overtime hours due to the recent tornado in New Brockton and flooding in rural areas;

***was informed of a Disaster Assistance Program workshop to be held in Ozark on June 1 - 2;

***stated it would open bids on used trucks to be used in leveling on May 27 at 10:00 a.m.;

***was introduced to new Cross Trails Library administrator Sybil Gilbert, who thanked the commission for its support;

***entered into an agreement with the State Highway Dept., stating the county would use "oil lease funds" on the Spraks Street project (\$251,500);

***voted to close a portion of a road adjoining the Rhodes and Barbaree property near the Perry's Store Community;

***approved the appointments of Edford Kelley and Lettie Nelson to the Damascus Water Authority;

***stated it would formally dedicate a historic marker on July 9 at the site of the "Hart grave at the Weeks Assembly of God Church;

***reappointed Comm. Martin to serve on the South East Alabama Regional Planning and Development Commission's Board of Directors;

***appointed Judge Brunson, Comm. Boutwell and Revenue Comm. Ronnie Burns to study bids on a computer planned for use by the county;

***and viewed a slide presentation on Home Health Care to be shown in the county.

Brainstorms

By FERRIN COX

The shooting in Troy last week brings home something we have commented on before. We read about such shootings, bombings, etc. as happening somewhere else; but Troy is mighty close to home. The fact that the young man charged with the shooting - and the folks he reportedly was shooting at last Wednesday - were all citizens of the Middle East makes little difference to the woman killed in the head-on collision, nor to the 25-year-old service station attendant hit in the leg by a stray bullet. Here we have a Palestinian with possible PLO ties, an amputee who reportedly lost his leg in one of the continuous wars of the Middle East traveling across this country, and he gets mad (or something) with his traveling companions and opens fire with a handgun, according to law officers. He tries to get away in his vehicle, law officers chase him with orders to shoot; but before they catch up he collides head-on with a pickup truck and kills a woman who was just minding her own business! In his van they find a submachine gun with plenty of ammo, and at the hospital they find ammo for one of his weapons INSIDE his artificial leg. Now this man didn't leave home for a quiet afternoon drive. He was not going to change the "kill, kill, kill" attitude of folks who have lived in that kind of atmosphere for many generations, but surely there is something we can do to keep the machine guns out of their reach... in America at least.

The City of Elba took a big step Monday night to complete renovation of the Elba High School. The thoughts in the backs of city officials' minds during negotiations on the hospital were of the school situation, and now they feel they have the freedom to help with the project. Some of the money needed for the project is still only committed in unofficial promises, but we feel that by the time it is needed (probably next spring) it will be available.

Cleo Hawkins, city councilman who oversees the Water and Electric Department, believes the utility department will be able to pass on to the schools some of the money saved in recent months by doing work within the department, rather than hiring contractors to move lines, etc. This will make a big difference in Elba's ability to complete the project, and it is expected that the utility board will agree with Hawkins and transfer the funds. Also it is anticipated that some funds committed to the hospital before the lease agreement will now be available for the school work.

The City of Elba is officially a "Prepared City" according to the paperwork given out Tuesday by Governor Wallace in Montgomery. A group representing the Elba Chamber of Commerce journeyed to the capitol Tuesday afternoon to witness the presentation. This doesn't mean Elba will automatically get new industry, but it does mean that if an industry is interested in Elba, we are prepared to show the potential employer the benefits of our community. The Chamber of Commerce and those within the organization who worked on the project are to be commended.

We caught a headline in a magazine this week that made us look up the article. The line that tempted us was "When you are a millionaire, will you still need a loan to pay your bills?" Well, we don't have any immediate plans to be a millionaire, but wanted to know if rich folks had the same problems we do in paying the grocery bill. Well, it turned out to be a story about the price of goods in 35 years when some 30-year-old person today started one of those IRA accounts and had a million-dollar retirement fund at age 65. This didn't help us one bit in paying our bills today!

There was another killing of an unarmed black man by Montgomery police this week but with a slight difference this time. The shooting was done by a black policeman, and there were witnesses to verify that the man was doing exactly as the woman testified. This will probably clear the police officer, but it leaves us with a nagging thought in our minds. Somewhere along the line there is a problem... either with the police or in the community, because there is just too much news of violence coming out of Montgomery involving the police and members of the Black community.

In case you weren't here last Thursday night, we got over six inches of rain with a couple of hours of rain around seven or eight o'clock. That much rain anywhere is bound to cause problems, and Elba is no exception. Washed-out roads, water in homes, etc., were the order of the day, but thanks to fast action of local citizens water damage was limited somewhat.

Local citizens who were staying in out of the rain and happened to be listening to their police scanner heard the exchange as Mayor Bob English drove around Elba directing work crews to the potential water problem areas. This job ended for English, reportedly behind the high school, when he drove off in deep water and his little car just floated and the wheels lost their traction. We also had a witness explain about English's front-seat companion dipping water out of the car with a cup. Now that it is all over and the water is gone, it is a bit comical to think of these little events.

We were walking into the state capitol Tuesday afternoon for the Chamber of Commerce meeting with Governor Wallace when we saw Jesse Jackson going into the building for his address to the Alabama legislature. Jackson, who has talked of running for president, was surrounded by an army of radio and TV folks asking questions and a million school kids trying to get a closer look. We don't know where the children were from, but almost all - if not all - of them were black, and we didn't know there were any more all-white or all-black schools left in Alabama.

BULLETIN BOARD

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 ROTARY CLUB--Mondays, noon--Holley's Restaurant
 EASTERN STAR--2nd and 4th Thursdays, 7 p.m.
 ELBA MINISTRIAL ASSN.--Thursdays, 8:30 a.m.--Holley's Restaurant
 ELBA JAYCEES--1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.--Holley's Restaurant
 ELBA CITY COUNCIL--1st & 3rd Mondays, 6 p.m.--Holley's Restaurant
 ELBA LIONS CLUB--2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7 p.m.--Holley's Restaurant
 ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD--1st Thursday, 5 p.m.--Superintendent's Office
 BPW--2nd Monday, 7 p.m.--Holley's Restaurant
 AMERICAN LEGION--1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m.--Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.
 BOY SCOUTS--Mondays 7 p.m.--City Pool
 RESCUE SQUAD--2nd & 4th Tues. night 7:00 - Library
 WATER & ELECTRIC BOARD--2nd Tuesday, 5 p.m.--City Hall
 ELBA MASONIC LODGE #170 - 1st Sat. night - 3rd Monday night - 7 p.m.
 WOW LODGE #458 - 1st Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.--Masonic Hall, New Brockton
 PILOT CLUB--2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7 p.m.--Elba Exchange Bank
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KIM FAISON, center left, and Robert Routzong, center right, received the top honors in 4-H this year. They had the most outstanding record books throughout Coffee County. Sponsoring this program was the Elba Rotary Club, with Dr. Tim Miller, left, representing the group. Dr. Cecil Mayfield, right, state 4-H leader, presented the awards. Kim is a member of the Dierckx 4-H Horse Club and goes to Enterprise High School. Robert is active in the Coffee County 4-H Fraternity, and is a junior at Zion Chapel High School.

DEATHS

FRED "DUDE" MORRIS

Funeral services for Fred "Dude" Morris, age 74, of Elba, who died Thursday, May 19, 1983 in a Florida hospital, were held Sunday, May 22, 1983 from the chapel of Hayes Funeral Home with the Rev. Dr. Pat McFadden officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include: two brothers - Jess Morris and Robert Morris, both of Elba; two daughters - Vinton Johnson, Battle Creek, Mich., Vida Shelton, Columbus, Ga.; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

BERTHA ELLEN FREE

Funeral services for Bertha Ellen Free, age 70, of Elba, who died Thursday morning, May 19, 1983, in an O.P. hospital were held at 2 p.m. Friday, May 20, 1983 from the chapel of Hayes Funeral Home with the Rev. Don Johnson officiating. Burial followed in the New Home Church Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include: her husband - Charlie J. Free, Elba; two sons - Charles E. Free, Elba and Owen T. Free, Harker Heights, Texas; four sisters - Sally Sexton, Phenix City, Idaho; Eiland, O.P., Clyde Howell, Jacksonville, Fla.; Grace Driggers, Elba; four brothers - Marvin Parker, Owen Parker, Jr., both of Elba; Howard Parker, Randalman, N.X., and Hollis Parker, New Brockton; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

ANNA JACOBS CLARK

Funeral for Mrs. Anna Jacobs Clark, a lifetime resident of Elba and Coffee County, died Sunday evening May 22, 1983, in the Elba hospital, were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 24, 1983 from the chapel of Hayes Funeral Home with the Rev. Howard Foreman officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include: three

daughters - Theda Hazen, Elba; Dorothy Jones, Enterprise; Ida Ann Pritchett, Tallahassee, Fla.; four sisters - Kate Sandburg, Denver, Colo.; Beas Cobb, Mobile, Rose Kent Birmingham, Roxie Lighty, Sidiell, La.; six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

PETE GATLIN

Pete Gatlin, age 55 a resident of Route 1, Jack Alabama, died Thursday, May 19, 1983 at his home. Funeral services for Mr. Gatlin were held Friday, May 20, 1983 at 3:00 p.m. at the Jack Assembly of God Church with Rev. Jim Eddins officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery with McGee-Dillard Funeral Home of Troy directing.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Erma Nell Gatlin of Jack, Alabama; two daughters, Mrs. Duane Fox of Ozark; and Debra Nell Gatlin of Jack; two sons, Thomas Wayne Gatlin and Thomas Glenn Gatlin both of Jack; one sister, Mrs. Eva King of Columbus Georgia; four brothers: Dick Gatlin, Ben Gatlin, Jessie Gatlin and Joel Gatlin, Jr., all of Columbus, Georgia; one grandchild and two step grandchildren, and one son-in-law.

EVA G. BUNDY

Mrs. Eva G. Bundy, age 76, of Brundidge, died Thursday, May 19, 1983 in a Troy hospital.

Funeral services were held Saturday, May 21, 1983 at Mt. Olive Assembly of God Church with Rev. Jack Allan and Rev. Holace Bradley officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery with Jackson-Bryan Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include: her husband - Freeman Bundy, Brundidge, seven daughters Mrs. Lovell Osborn, Cairo, Ga.; Mrs. Brunese Vance, Jack, Al.; Mrs. Ouida Grimes, Elba; Mrs. Connie

Allan, Mrs. Mildred Ellis, Mrs. Linda Adams, Mrs. Julie McDermott, all of Brundidge; three sons - Louie Bundy, Troy, Richard Bundy and Bill Bundy, both of Brundidge; one sister - Mrs. Lili Hartley of Jack. Forty-seven grandchildren, seventy-two great grandchildren and four great, great grandchildren.

GLEN DANIEL EILAND

Mr. Glen Daniel Eiland, age 65, of Rt. 3, O.P., died May 21, 1983, in an O.P. hospital.

Funeral services were held May 22, at Hayes Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. John Moneyham officiating. Burial was in New Home Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, Naomi Eiland, O.P.; six brothers: Osburn, Jarvis and Malcolm Eiland, O.P.; Edward Eiland, Elba; Thomas Eiland, Brewton; James Eiland, Lake Wales, FL; five sisters: Louise Miller, Lucille Thornton, both of Brewton; Margaret Medders, Bartow, FL; Addie Pearl Forbes, O.P.; Carolyn Bradley, Dothan; one son - Ray Eiland, Wetumpka, AL; one daughter: Violet Bowden, Montgomery; and three grandchildren.

Card Of Thanks

The family of Bertha Free would like to express our thanks, and appreciation to all our relatives, friends, and neighbors for your prayers, the food, flowers, and comforting support that you gave us during the illness and death of our loved one. May God bless all of you. The Charlie Free Family 5-26-1tp

REMINDER

A reminder for those people with the last names beginning with H and O to purchase their tags this month.

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor,

The Town of New Brockton would like to express appreciation to those who helped during our recent tornado disaster. A very special thanks to the Coffee County Engineer and staff, Coffee County Highway Department, Coffee County Sheriff's Department, the local Forest Rangers, the local Alabama National Guard unit, the American Red Cross, the State of Alabama Highway Department, and the Work Release Center personnel and prisoners. These people were on the spot from the beginning and worked many long, hard hours.

We would also like to thank Mr. Lee Helms, the Southern Area Coordinator for the State Civil Defense Department, Mr. "Moose" Hope and the Enterprise Civil Defense Department. Thanks to the City of Elba for the equipment they furnished.

A special thanks to the businesses and citizens of Elba that sent two truckloads of food and beverages to our City Hall, which was able to serve three meals to a large group of tired and hungry people, from the food furnished by these "special people".

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We join with the Chamber in saying "thank you" to our industries and their employees.

Sincerely,

BOB M. ENGLISH

Mayor

Dear Editor:

Thank you so very much for all the work you did to make Saturday such a success. We deeply appreciate the time that you devoted to your project and want you to know how very special that you are to us. Thank you again and we'll look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

ELBA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

(Mrs.) Paula Stokes Mims, Executive Director

"Go ahead, ask me."

Police Docket

Friday, May 20

Activity included a Rescue Squad run to a home on Sunset Blvd. (6:07 a.m.), a Rescue Squad transfer to Elba from Enterprise (10:24 a.m.), a Rescue Squad transfer to O.P. (1:23 p.m.), a request for the Rescue Squad on the square (2:19 p.m.), a request for the Rescue Squad vehicle at Hughes Grocery (3:45 p.m.), a fight reported at the Mulberry Hts. ballpark (4:56 p.m.) and a Rescue Squad request at Dyess Circle (8:03 p.m.).

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Monday, May 23

Activity included a wreck with injuries on Taylor Mill Road (12:01 a.m.), a report of a burglary at Beaver Dam Loggers (3:39 p.m.), a report of stray dogs on Caroline Street (8:15 p.m.) and a report of stray dogs at the Work Release Center (11:14 p.m.).

Tuesday, May 24

Activity included a wreck with injuries on Taylor Mill Road (12:01 a.m.), a report of a burglary at Beaver Dam Loggers (3:39 p.m.), a report of stray dogs on Caroline Street (8:15 p.m.) and a report of stray dogs at the Work Release Center (11:14 p.m.).

Wednesday, May 25

Activity included a wreck with injuries on Taylor Mill Road (12:01 a.m.), a report of a burglary at Beaver Dam Loggers (3:39 p.m.), a report of stray dogs on Caroline Street (8:15 p.m.) and a report of stray dogs at the Work Release Center (11:14 p.m.).

Thursday, May 26

Activity included a wreck with injuries on Taylor Mill Road (12:01 a.m.), a report of a burglary at Beaver Dam Loggers (3:39 p.m.), a report of stray dogs on Caroline Street (8:15 p.m.) and a report of stray dogs at the Work Release Center (11:14 p.m.).

Friday, May 27

Activity included a wreck with injuries on Taylor Mill Road (12:01 a.m.), a report of a burglary at Beaver Dam Loggers (3:39 p.m.), a report of stray dogs on Caroline Street (8:15 p.m.) and a report of stray dogs at the Work Release Center (11:14 p.m.).

Saturday, May 28

Activity included a wreck with injuries on Taylor Mill Road (12:01 a.m.), a report of a burglary at Beaver Dam Loggers (3:39 p.m.), a report of stray dogs on Caroline Street (8:15 p.m.) and a report of stray dogs at the Work Release Center (11:14 p.m.).

Sunday, May 29

Activity included a wreck with injuries on Taylor Mill Road (12:01 a.m.), a report of a burglary at Beaver Dam Loggers (3:39 p.m.), a report of stray dogs on Caroline Street (8:15 p.m.) and a report of stray dogs at the Work Release Center (11:14 p.m.).

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Socials

Coffee County Arts Alliance Meets In Elba

The ninth annual meeting of the Coffee County Arts Alliance was held at Elba High School Friday, May 13. The program was a concert presented by Mrs. Barbara Voss Smith who during the past year has done school music residencies at Elba High School and at Kinston Elementary School.

These residencies have been jointly sponsored by Coffee County Arts Alliance and Elba City Schools and Coffee County Schools respectively, with assistance from Alabama State Council on the Arts and Humanities.

Mrs. Smith told some of the methods used in teaching music to the groups and played a number of pieces which she had included in

the residences. In addition to the program board members were elected as follows: Mrs. Emmett Brunson, Mrs. John Guy, Mrs. J.W. Henderson, Mrs. Paul King and Dr. Kenneth Strong. New board members are Mrs. Jimmy Carter of Enterprise and Mrs. Jimmy Peacock of New Brockton. These members will serve a term of three years.

Retiring board members are Mrs. J.E. Pittman and Mr. Jay Porter. They were thanked for their service to the organization.

A social hour was held in the Home Ec. building following the business and program.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Spann of Opp proudly announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children, Patti and Earl.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. F.B. Blair and the late Mrs. Lillian Blair and Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ramer, all of Opp. Miss Blair is a 1981 graduate of Opp High School and is presently employed by Builders' Cash and Carry of Opp and is attending Lurleen B. Wallace Junior College.

The prospective groom is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Eddie Spann of the Basin Community and the late Mr. Roy Simmons of the Zoar Community near Elba. Mr. Spann is a 1974 graduate of Kinston High School. He attended Troy State University and is presently employed by Saunders Leasing Systems of Andalusia.

The wedding will be an event of July 2 at 4 o'clock in the evening at Union Grove Assembly of God, Rt. 3, Opp. A reception will follow in the fellowship hall of the church.

No local invitations are being sent; all friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Prescott - McEwen Wedding

Miss Karen Prescott and Mr. George A. McEwen, Jr. were married April 23, 1983 at 2:00 p.m. in an impressive double ring ceremony at Saint Mark United Methodist Church, Mobile, Alabama. Reverend Dick Wright officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Howard Prescott of Mobile. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. McEwen Sr., Birmingham.

The bride's maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M.G. Adams, Opp, and paternal grandparents are Mrs. Aline Prescott Braddy, Elba, and the late William Howard Prescott.

Miss Dana DeVane of Montgomery, cousin of the bride, registered the guests. As guests arrived, Mrs. Erma Webber, organist, played "Evergreen," "Longer," "Truly," "Up Where We Belong," and "There Is Love".

Ushers were Mr. Dave Wanaka, Mr. George A. McEwen, Sr. and Mr. Frank Bujold.

The altar was flanked on each side by a seven branch candelabra, with large white bows intertwined with ivy. Outside there were two large ferns. Behind the altar, a large arrangement of spring flowers was placed on a table. Large white bows marked the family pews. The unity candle also had large white bows intertwined with ivy.

While the guests were being seated, Jeff White, soloist, sang "On The Wings Of Love," and Sandra Rhea, soloist, sang "Baby, Come To Me".

The bride was escorted by her father and stopped at the reserved pew to have her mother accompany them to the altar, where both parents gave her away.

The bride was lovely in her formal gown of white organza. The bodice was lavishly decorated with silk venise lace and pearls, and featured a Queen Anne neckline and long Bishop sleeves accented by a fitted cuffs. The full circular skirt led to a cathedral train trimmed with scalloped silk venise lace.

The bride wore a finger-tip veil (handmade by her mother) of silk net trimmed with silk venise lace and pearls, attached to a matching headpiece. She carried a nosegay of white silk roses, accented with stephanotis, Lily-of-the-Valley and Baby's Breath.

Maid of honor was Miss Sharon Prescott, twin sister of the bride. She wore a blue floor-length gown of lustrous glow. The bodice of her gown featured a softly gathered drape accented with matching blue daisies and ribbon.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Pam Pekul of Panama City Beach, Florida and Mrs. Mary Bunch of Orlando, Florida. They wore the same style dress as the maid of with flowers in pastel shades honor, except Mrs. Pekul's of blue, rose and yellow, and

was rose and Mrs. Bunch's was yellow. They also carried white lace fans with daisies of blue, rose and yellow with ribbons to match their dresses.

The groom was handsomely dressed in white tuxedo, white pleated wing-tip shirt and white bow tie. He wore a white rose bud in his lapel.

The groom was attended by Dave Wanaka of Panama City as best man. Other groomsmen were Mr. George A. McEwen, Sr., Birmingham, the groom's father, and Mr. Frank Bujold, brother-in-law of the groom, from Troy Michigan.

The bride's father wore a gray tuxedo, with a miniature white carnation in his lapel. The groomsmen also wore gray tuxedos, with miniature carnations to match the bridesmaids' dresses.

During the ceremony, as the couple knelt at the altar, Sandra Rhea sang "The Lord's Prayer". While the couple lit the unity candle, Dana and Jeff White sang "Just You And I". After this part of the ceremony, the couple went to the bride's mother, then to the groom's mother and presented each of them with a kiss and a white daisy corsage.

The mother of the bride wore a street-length dress of aqua blue taffeta with a white chiffon overlay. Her shoes were a matching blue. A white miniature carnation corsage completed her attire.

The groom's mother wore a mauve taffeta street-length dress with matching shoes. Her corsage was also of white miniature carnations.

The brides' maternal grandmother wore a street-length dress of mint green, with a chite daisy corsage and white accessories.

The bride's paternal grandmother wore a navy blue street-length dress with matching accessories and a white daisy corsage.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the church fellowship hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Prescott entertained at a reception immediately following the wedding of their daughter Karen and George A. McEwen Jr.

The bridal register was attended by Miss Dana DeVane of Montgomery, cousin of the bride. Instead of a formal receiving line, the bride and groom mingled with their guests.

The bride's table was covered with a white cloth edged in lace. The three-tiered cake featured a staircase down one side to a landing of a smaller cake, then descending to a heart-shaped cake with the heart-shaped cake encribed with the names of the bride and groom. It was decorated with flowers in pastel shades of blue, rose and yellow, and



Mr. & Mrs. McEwen

was topped with a bride and groom, with a rose-colored flowing fountain underneath. At each end of the table, crystal candelabra held white burning tapers.

The bride's bouquet was placed on this table. A silver three-tiered compote dish holding nuts and mints completed the appointments.

Mrs. Brenda Bujold and Mrs. Denise Brundula, sisters of the groom, served the bride's cake.

The coffee service was on a round table covered with a white cloth edged in lace. A white cloth edged in lace, Mrs. Pat Dempsey, Dothan, served coffee.

The groom's table was covered in a white cloth edged in lace and held the crystal punch bowl on one end and the groom's cake on the other. The bridesmaids' bouquets decorated the table, and the punch bowl was encircled with blue, rose and yellow daisies. Miss Denise Bennett, Dallas, Texas, served the punch; Miss Sharon McEwen, Birmingham, sister of the groom, served the groom's cake.

In another area of the room, a table covered with a white cloth edged in lace held an assortment of attractive finger foods.

Miss Meredith DeVane, Montgomery, cousin of the bride, passed out silk rosebuds filled with birdseed.

The reception was directed by Mrs. Mary Joe Woodruff, Crestview, FL. She was assisted by Mrs. Betty Neece, Mobile, both friends of the family, and Mrs. Elizabeth DeVane, Mrs. Darnette Prescott and Mrs. Chris Suley, aunts of the bride.

For traveling Mrs. McEwen changed into a lovely royal blue dress with white accessories. A white rosebud corsage completed her attire.

After a trip to Point Clear and the Gulf Coast, the newlyweds are at home in Panama City Beach.

AFTER-REHEARSAL DINNER
Karen Prescott and George A. McEwen Jr. were honored by their parents with an after-rehearsal dinner April 22 in the



Pictured from L to R . . . Mrs. Terry Kendrick, Mrs. Willard Martin, Miss Melanie Scarborough - honoree, Mrs. Phillip Scarborough, Mrs. George Lancaster and Mrs. Scarborough.

Miss Melanie Scarborough Honored With Miscellaneous Bridal Shower

Miss Melanie Scarborough, bride-elect of Will Martin, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower Saturday, May 21, at the home of Mrs. Gerald Tucker. The guests were received by the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Phillip Scarborough, the mother of the groom, Mrs. Willard Martin, the bride-elect's grandmothers, Mrs. George Lancaster and Mrs. J.E. Scarborough, and the groom-elect's grandmother, Mrs. Terry Kendrick.

Guests enjoyed lemonade served from a silver punch bowl, with party cakes, nuts, sandwiches and mints.

The appointment table, covered with an Army-Navy cloth, held a silver candelabra filled with blue silk daisies and other spring flowers.

After being served, guests visited the den and patio to view the many useful wedding gifts.

Hostesses for the occasion were: Mrs. Bob English, Mrs. Tim Bradshaw, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Ted Vaughan, Mrs. Gerald Tucker, Mrs. Glen Vaughan, Mrs. Bobby Hudson, Mrs. Robert Fleming, Mrs. James Grimes, Mrs. Lloyd Daniels, Mrs. William Cowart, Mrs. James Hudson, Mrs. Kimmie Dorsey, Mrs. Grady Thomas, Mrs. S.T. Bryan, Mrs. Jimmy Smith, Mrs. Lamar Daniels and Mrs. Fern Cox.

The dean's list for the University of Montevallo's spring semester has been announced by Robert Doyle, director of admissions and records at the 86-year-old state institution.

The Montevallo dean's list includes full-time undergraduate students whose grade point averages last semester equaled or exceeded 2.5 on a 3.0 scale.

CITIZENS OF TOMORROW

Births

Christopher Brian Rushing
Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Rushing are proud to announce the birth of a son, Brian Christopher, May 15 at Pheobe Putney Hospital in Albany, Georgia.

HEATHER NICOLE DANLEY
Mark L. and Virginia M. Danley of Rt. 1, Elba, announce the birth of their daughter, Heather Nicole, on May 15, 1983. She weighed 7 pounds 10 ounces.

Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Kelley of Rt. 1, Elba, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Danley, Rt. 1, Jack.

JOSHUA LANEAR TALBOT
Secord Lt. Gary and DecAnne Talbot announce the birth of their son, Joshua (Josh) Lanear, on May 18. He weighed 18 pounds.

Grandparents are Mrs. Marie Talbot and the late Charles Talbot of Elba; and Dr. and Mrs. Robert Clayton of Columbus, GA.

Gary is in the Air Force in Oklahoma City, in computer communications.

Kinston Class Of 1941 To Have Reunion

All 1941 graduates of Kinston High School and their spouses are invited to attend a class reunion June 18, 7 p.m. at the "Beefmaster" in Opp.

Chels 7, and Angie 4, are the children of Mike and Debbie Parrish of Route 1, Elba, Alabama.

Dana 2, is the daughter of Mark and Debbie Biggs of Route 2, Elba, Alabama.

Vince, 9 and Kristy 6, are the children of James and Shirley Hudson of Route 4 Elba, Alabama.

Amy, 8 and Nancy 5, are the children of Mr. and Mrs. David White of Route 1 Elba, Alabama.

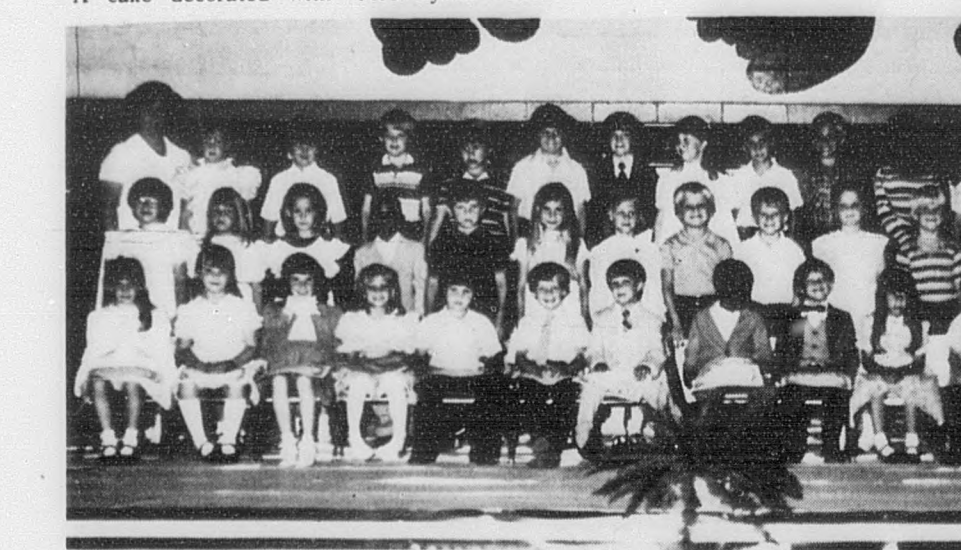


Mrs. Grimes, honoree; Mrs. Hudson

Mrs. Hudson Honored With Bridal Shower

Mrs. George Hudson (Elaine Grimes), was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower on May 1, 1983. Guest called between the hours of 2 and 4 in the afternoon, in the home of Mrs. Dykes Weeks.

An arrangement of yellow daisies was used to complement the refreshment table. A cake decorated with



the occasion were: Mrs. Bob English, Mrs. Tim Bradshaw, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Ted Vaughan, Mrs. Gerald Tucker, Mrs. Glen Vaughan, Mrs. Bobby Hudson, Mrs. Robert Fleming, Mrs. James Grimes, Mrs. Lloyd Daniels, Mrs. William Cowart, Mrs. James Hudson, Mrs. Kimmie Dorsey, Mrs. Grady Thomas, Mrs. S.T. Bryan, Mrs. Jimmy Smith, Mrs. Lamar Daniels and Mrs. Fern Cox.

STON KIDBERGARTEN GRADUATION was held May 17, with 41 students graduating. Theme of their program was "Sing A Song of Spring." Teachers for the class are Mrs. Margaret Weeks and Mrs. Elizabeth Murdoch.



Winners of the Miss Bronze Contest held recently at New Brockton High School are L.R. Claudette Caldwell, 2nd runner-up; the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Caldwell; Angela Horstead, Miss Congeniality; daughter of Mrs. Cora Horstead; Miss Bronze, Shirley Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mix Andrews; 1st runner-up; Barbara Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kelley.



PICTURED ABOVE are Amy Giles, Emily Strong and Elena Strong. Brownies from second grade troop #441, as they participated in a skit entitled "Now, Tomorrow and the Future" at a joint Zion Chapel-Elba Service Unit meeting, an annual Scouting event.

Miss Hudson Is Secretary For Gamma Sigma

Donna Hudson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry M. Hudson, is a sophomore at Troy State University, majoring in Education. She is a member of Gamma Sigma Chapter of Alpha Gamma Delta, and has recently been elected to the office of Corresponding Secretary for the 1983-84 school year.

Miss Grimes & Mr. Hudson Share Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Grimes of Elba would like to announce the marriage of their daughter, Elaine to Mr. George Eddie Hudson of Brantley.

The private ceremony took place April 1, 1983. The bride's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kimmie Rushing and Mrs. J.B. Grimes and the late Mr. J.B. Grimes, all of Elba.

The couple is now residing in Brantley.

Socials & Local News Of Interest

Miss Doster Receives Scholarship

Lauri Ann Doster of Jack has been named recipient of a George C. Wallace leadership scholarship to Troy State University.

Miss Doster, the daughter of Doris Doster, is a graduating senior at Zion Chapel where she is yearbook editor, a rotating newspaper staff editor, a member of Beta Club and The Society of Distinguished American High School Students.

Each year the George C. Wallace scholarship is awarded to graduating high school and junior college seniors who have excelled in academic and/or leadership accomplishments.

The "Voices" content at various places and are able to adapt their programs to suit the occasions. They are not only entertaining, but show their appreciation and



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OHS Voices Entertain Elba Music Lover's Club

The Opp High School "Voices" were introduced to an appreciative Music Lovers Club audience by program chairman Mrs. Jimmy Wise. This select group of 12 singers, mostly juniors and seniors, gave an outstanding performance, including such numbers as "Annie," "Rainbow Connection," from the Muppet movie; spiritual melody, prodigy on commercials, and "Come On In," by the Oak Ridge Boys.

The group was formed by Mr. Joe Reese, Tisdale, choral director at Opp High School, and has been under his direction since that time. The "Voices" content at various places and are able to adapt their programs to suit the occasions. They are not only entertaining, but show their appreciation and

love to their audience in music and song. Their smart costumes of butter yellow and orange add a note of color to their presentation. Members of the group present were: Jay Albright, Leigh Boutwell, Ben Higgins, Les Johnson, Rachel "Tex" Moody, Mike Morgan, Cheri Northrop, Shan Sellers, Susan Sorrells, Kara Sprulin, Angie Tisdale and Keith Wilson.

Steering the activities of the club for 1983-84 are: President - Mrs. Jimmy (Shirley) Wise, Vice-President - Mrs. Miley (Liz) Murdock, Recording Secretary - Mrs. Nellie B. Martin, Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Kimmie (Ella Kate) Hamm, Treasurer - Mrs. Bruce (Paula) Mims, Parliamentarian - Mrs. John D. Lowery, and sponsor of the Junior Music Club - Miss Lynn Hudson.

A word of thanks is in order to the past president, Mrs. Janet King, and her assistance for the outstanding yearly programs. It was their interest that made the programs most entertaining and enjoyable by presenting many noted artists.

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ESJC ENTERTAINERS—Several clubs at Enterprise State Junior College recognized members for their participation and service during the past year at ESJC All-Clubs Banquet recently. ESJC Entertainers proudly display their certificates of appreciation presented to them by Patty McDermott, director of the Entertainers. Members shown from left, are: Patty McDermott, Jim Story-Del Lee, Rusty Presley, Christine Holland, Rusty Roddy, Deana Craig, Bubba Carr, Enterprise, Janet Strickland, Ozark, Steve Cowart, Elba, Judy Brighton, Ozark, and Ann Fisher, Geneva.



STUDENT-GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION—Several clubs at Enterprise State Junior College recognized members for their participation and service during the past year at the ESJC All-Clubs Banquet held recently. Student Government officers shown, from left, front row: Qasim Coleman, Troy, vice president; Kim Gilley, Samson, secretary; Bobby English, president, Pam Williams and Steve Cowart, Elba; 2nd row: Bubba Carr, Jill Eversman, Terri Garner, Steve Byrd, and Elizabeth Martin, Enterprise; Tommy Johnson, dean of student services; Kathy Sawyer, Jack, and Susan Gilley, Samson.



STYLING HAIR—Psyche Patterson, a Barbering student at MacArthur State Technical College is styling Chris Weeks' hair. Chris is a student in Industrial Electricity. Both are graduates of Kinston High School. Barbering is a course which offers the student both theory and practical experience in all phases of haircutting and styling, shampooing, shaving, massaging, facials, permanent waving, color and scalp treatment. Students are admitted as vacancies occur.

Terry Fugit Inducted Into National Honor Society

Terry K. Fugit of Elba is among 25 new members inducted into Kappa Delta Pi national honor society in education.

Miss Fugit, the daughter of George W. Kelley, is a senior at Troy State, where she is majoring in elementary education.

Kappa Delta Pi, the oldest honor society at Troy state, recognizes outstanding contributions to education.

Members are selected on the basis of personal qualities, educational ideals and sound scholarship. The society endeavors to maintain and to quicken professional growth by honoring achievement in education.

Summer Cheerleader Camp To Be Held In Dothan In August

The World Cheerleader Council of Dallas, Texas, will bring its national staff of professional cheerleader instructors to Dothan this summer to conduct a 3-Day Summer Cheerleader Camp at Dothan High School August 15, 16, 17, 1983.

Attendance is open to all students between the ages of 12 and 18, both male and female, and is not restricted to elected cheerleaders. Everyone is welcome whether elected cheerleaders or students interested in learning more about cheerleading for future tryouts.

Classes will be offered at various age levels with different divisions for beginners, intermediate and advanced. The program of instruction will feature new cheers, chants, songs, pom-pom routines, tumbling, mounts, jumps, technique, pep assemblies, leadership, sportsmanship, appearances and conduct.

For further information, or to receive registration forms, students interested in attending the camp should contact Miss Brenda Browning at 503 South Iroquois St., Dothan, AL 36301 or calling (205) 794-2234 or contacting Miss Lisa Liska at the Medical Center Terrace 1-7, Dothan, AL 36301 or calling (205) 793-7207.

Deadline for registration is August 1, 1983. Available spaces are expected to fill quickly so interested persons are urged to make application as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

***Mr. and Mrs. L.P. Mullins announce the marriage of their daughter Patsy Louise to Cadet Carlos E. Pacanins of New Orleans, LA. The wedding took place May 10 in Meridian, MS.

NEWS FROM OUR EARLY FILES

TEN YEARS AGO
MAY 24, 1973

***Foy English went fishing last week at Eufaula. The picture of him and his two fish is captioned thusly: "The fish on his left weighed 6 1/2 pounds, the one on his right weighed 8 pounds, the one in the middle tips the scales at 210 pounds."

***Management at Kleinert's announced this week the opening of a new manufacturing line making "gro-sleepers." This is the first of several new lines to be added at the local plant, and more are expected, according to local management. This will add to the number of employees at the plant.

***U.S. Air Force Sgt. James L. Compton, son of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Compton, Rt. 5, Elba, has arrived for duty at Eglin AFB. He is a 1969 graduate of Zion Chapel High School, and his wife Teresa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hardee, Rt. 3, Conway, S.C.

***Miss Mary Collier, who graduates this week from Alabama High School of Fine Arts and Home Wood High School, was the guest of honor at a tea on Saturday afternoon, May 12. Mrs. Sam Collier and Miss Heidi Collier were hostesses.

***EHS Student Council Officers 1973-74: President—Jack Brunson; Vice-President—Tony Martin; Secretary—Vanessa Newman; Treasurer—Paula Taylor; Parliamentarian—Cyndi Maddox; Reporter—Billy Faye Scott.

***Jimmie Tyson, ESJC student from Elba, has been elected to the office of Senator in the Student Government Association.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
MAY 23, 1963

***Beautiful Rebecca Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelly, was selected Little Miss Elba in ceremonies last Thursday night. Other girls participating were: 1st runner-up—Ann Martin; 2nd runner-up—Judy Kelley; Blanche Lee, Barbara Bruce, Vickie Jacobs, Judy Hudson, Rhonda Newby, Patsy Qualls, Patricia Boswell, Rhonda Danford, Rhonda Jacobs, Cyndi Maddox, Joan Morris, Jane Wright, Jan Bowden, Sherri Cook, Charlene Ellis, Angelyn Taylor, Kathy Bowers, Alice Brunson, Mary Sue Hodge, Melanie Carley, Cherrie Clay, Angela Bedsole, Debbie Padgett.

***Through the Keyhole, with Mrs. Robert Cannon: A springtime party highlighted last week, a luncheon given by Josephine Kendrick and 'Ola B. Kendrick at Josephine's home last Wednesday. They were assisted in serving by Mary Will (Kendrick) Dickert of Brundidge, Gene Kendrick and Olive Ray Martin. . . . A two-year-old had a birthday last week. A.C. Brunson, blew out the two fat candles atop the tiered cake and watched as pink punch was served from a pink punch bowl. She wore a pink frock topped by a white embroidered apron.

***Ladies serving punch, coffee and cake at "Tommy Vaughan Day" were: Mrs. F.S. Murphree, Mrs. Boyd Murphree, Miss Totsey Rhodes, Miss Janet Murphree, Miss Joanne Brazelton, Mrs. Wayne Marler and Mrs. L.F. Imman.

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THIRTY YEARS AGO
MAY 21, 1953

***Senior gridders pictured watching the Gold-Black game at the end of spring football, and some Enterprise girls who came over to see the game are: Tommy Wise, Betty Joyce Watson, John Milton Wise, Marianne Donaldson, Frazier Ringdorf, Marietta Huey, Shirley Shivers and Jimmy Bowdoin.

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Orleans, LA. The wedding took place May 10 in Meridian, MS.

***One of the progressive families in the wide-awake Rhodes Community of Coffee County is that of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Mallory. Their daughter Janice, ninth-grader at Kinston, won the baking contest presented to the 4-H girl doing the best work in that field during the year. Pictured are Mrs. Barbara Pierce, Janice, Mrs. Charles Mallory and Barbara Sue Mallory.

***The house formerly belonging to Dr. and Mrs. C.P. Hayes on West Davis Street, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Fortner, is being beautified with an application of white paint.

***Avery D. Jackson who lives near Evergreen Cemetery, reports he had a pretty bad night recently. When he went home about 10 o'clock in the evening he heard a hen squawk so he got his shotgun and entered the chicken house. There he found a large fox with a hen in its mouth. He shot the marauder which had already killed two hens and two fryers. Mr. Jackson threw the fox carcass into the yard and his dogs barked all night, resulting in very little sleep for the Jackson family.

FORTY YEARS AGO
MAY 27, 1943

***Mrs. Jessie Hall Ham, former Elba resident and widow of the late P.J. Ham Sr., one of the city's most prominent pioneers, died at her Birmingham home Sunday night following an illness of two weeks.

***Mr. J.D. Smith says that in his many years of farming in Coffee County, this is the first time he has had cotton chopped after squares had formed. He says the unusually late, cold spring held the plants back to such extent farmers were reluctant to thin out the cotton at the usual stage, for fear of hurting the stand.

***Mr. O.M. Daniels was honored with a birthday dinner given at his home May 23, on his 63rd birthday. The Daniels' moved to Woodland Grove Community three years ago, and a year ago he and his wife moved their membership to Woodland Grove Church, where he has taken an active part in the church.

***Pvt. Webb L. Wyrosdick of Camp Breckinridge, KY has returned to his Army assignment after spending a test furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Wyrosdick, Elba, Rt. 4.

***Letter from Soldier—Quenton P. Hurd: "The old home-town boys are doing fine on this maneuver; we have been in Louisiana for one month. We have a tough time with these redbugs and kicking us on. You all keep pushing in the back and we will keep pushing the front."

Local Students

Inducted Into

Gama Beta Phi

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Gamma Beta Phi is a national honor society which selects the top students of each academic class for membership. Members also participate in service projects, such as participating in college functions, collecting canned goods for the underprivileged and giving parties for nursing home residents.

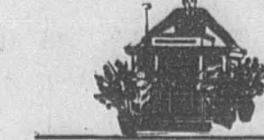
Among those inducted into membership from Elba include: Karen Lynn Arbogast, Dianne Boutwell Shirley Stokes Dodson, Jay Scott English and Terry K. Fugit.

Cemetery

Working

At Shady Grove

There will be a cemetery working at the Shady Grove Church, Thursday, June 2. Please bring your tools to work with.



PASTOR'S CORNER

Rev. Ben Amberg
Pastor, Zion Chapel Baptist Church

SPIRITUAL TRIFLING

I feel that too many Christians are flitting with Christ. You know what a flit is? A flit is somebody who wants all the excitement without the responsibilities; who wants all the gifts without the relationship—the

kind of girl who goes out with a boy just for the sake of the candies that he is going to give her, but she has no intention of marrying him. And far too many of us are just flitting with Christ. We want the comfort and excitement that He gives; we do not want to enter into this

relationship of complete union with Him. Why are our mission stations understaffed? Why are they ill-equipped? Why is it that Christian literature is just a trickle instead of a flood? Why is it that our churches are empty? Why is it that our Bible study groups are ill-attended? Why is it that our prayer meetings are down? Why is it that we lack choir members? Why is it that we lack Sunday School teachers? I can tell you why. Because Christians are running their own lives to suit themselves.

I believe that there is, in Christian experience, a place for a consecration and a surrender so full and so complete, so entire that one sense it will never have to be repeated—although the implications of it will go on being discovered and worked out. Here is the New Testament authority for just such a thing. Romans 6:13 "Yield yourselves—once and for all, is the meaning of it—unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness unto God"—and there is nothing tyrannous about this: love would not have it any other way.

NEW PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST . . . Eld. Waymon Pryor, pastor

Sunday School . . . 10:30
Noon Service . . . 12:00
2nd and 4th Sundays

Piney Grove United Methodist Plans Campmeeting

Piney Grove United Methodist Church will be proclaiming "Jesus is Lord" in a campmeeting on the church grounds June 5-12. Ministering in word and song will be Rev. Charles Dyess and The Singing Dyess Family of Opp, AL; Rev. Bob Harper of "Bread

of Life Fellowship", Villa Tasso, Fla.; Rev. Dick Sigler of the First United Methodist of Enterprise, AL; 2 WNT Singers of Dothan, AL; First United Methodist Choir of Opp, AL; Rev. David Krumstad and the Piney Grove Singers of Samson, AL; and Betty Jean Robinson

of Brentwood, Tenn. Betty Jean is known for her songs that lift up Jesus as Lord. Included in her songs are such favorites as "On Silver Wings", "On The Way Home", "Jesus Is Alive And Well", "He Is Jehovah", and "To The Glory Of My Father".

Everyone is invited to bring their lawn chairs and attend the meetings on Sundays, 2:30 p.m. and weekdays at 7:30 p.m. The church is located 3 1/2 miles south of Samson, AL on Hwy. 87.

Assembly Of God

Sets Revival

First Assembly of God announces revival services with an old-fashioned, campmeeting atmosphere. Services begin Sunday, June 5 through Wednesday, June 8. Rev. Billy Cardwell will be the evangelist and Rev. Freddie Morrow will be directing the singing.

Pastor Jim Arbogast and the congregation of First Assembly invites everyone to share with them in these "campmeeting" services.

First Assembly is located on Highland Drive.

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Church Directory



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Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship...11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship...6:00 p.m.
Even. Worship...5:00 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD (Kinston)—Robert Brown
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service...6:00 p.m.
C.A.(Youth)...5:30 p.m.
Evangelistic Serv...6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study...7:00 p.m.

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH—Don Johnson
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship...11:00 a.m.
Church Training...5:30 p.m.
Even. Worship...6:30 p.m.
Wed. Night...7:00 p.m.

WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD—Lamar LeCompte
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Church Training...5:00 p.m.
Evening Service...6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet...7:00 p.m.
Fri. Home Prayer...7:00 p.m.

BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
Prayer Ser. Wed. 7:00 p.m.

MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD—Wm. McCrummen
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service...5:30 p.m.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH
J.J. Halaway
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Training Union...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet...7:00 p.m.

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ELBA UNITED METHODIST—Jeha C. Carmichael
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Children and Youth Choir Practice...6:00 p.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY—J.E. Wesley
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship...11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship...7:00 p.m.
Wed. Night...7:30 p.m.

SASSER MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD—Hue D. Anderson
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Evening Service...5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night...7:00 p.m.

ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD—Jim Arbogast
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service...6:00 p.m.
Wed. Youth Serv...7:00 p.m.

FAIRVIEW BAPTIST—Donald Hall
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Church Training...6:00 p.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet...7:30 p.m.

MT. GILEAD BAPTIST—Larry Grams
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Church Training...6:00 p.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet...7:00 p.m.

WHITEWATER BAPTIST—David Richburg
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Church Training...6:00 p.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet...7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
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Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet...7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
Prayer Ser. Wed. 7:00 p.m.

MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD—Wm. McCrummen
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service...5:30 p.m.

MULBERRY HEIGHTS CHURCH OF CHRIST—R.B. Williams
Bible Study...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study...7:00 p.m.

ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH—Faye Sims
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Worship Service...6:30 p.m.
Youth Service...5:00 p.m.
Evening Service...6:00 p.m.
Thursday Service...7:00 p.m.

WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Training Union...5:00 p.m.
Evening Service...6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet...7:00 p.m.

WESTSIDE BAPTIST—Howard Freeman
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Church Training...6:00 p.m.
Evening Service...6:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet...7:00 p.m.

ALBERTON BAPTIST
Mildred Johnson
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Training Union...6:00 p.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
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DAMASCUS BAPTIST—Rev. Billy Sunday
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Training Union...6:00 p.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv...7:00 p.m.

ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST—Ben Amberg
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac...4:00 p.m.
Church Training...5:00 p.m.
Evening Service...8:00 p.m.
Thurs. Visitation...7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD
James Cooper
Sunday School...9:45 a.m.
Morn. Service...11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Serv...6:00 p.m.
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Mu Alpha Theta Presents Senior Members With Pins

The Elba High School Chapter of Mu Alpha Theta held its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, May 19, 1983. This was the final meeting for the 82-83 school year.

The meeting began with the serving of refreshments at recess. This consisted of sheet cakes, sandwiches, chips and dip.

The first item of business was a report from the nominating committee on the

nominations for next years officers. Ballots were then handed out and collected. When the votes were tabulated, the following officers had been selected: Aleah Hudson, president; Susan King, vice-president; Wendy Bowers, secretary; treasurer; and Gina Donaldson, historian.

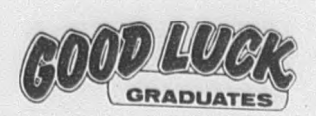
The club's sponsor, Mrs. Sue King, presented each of the fourteen senior members of the club with a pin. She

also read a poem to the club which she had composed and dedicated to the seniors. It was entitled "To Seniors". This year's senior members were Tonya Bryan, Connie Clay, Michele Cox, Wesley DeVane, Brad English, Jackie Gray, Erwin Gummels, Greg Henderson, Angie Holt, David Nelson, Phillip Smith, Don White, Kim Whitman and Benita Willis.

The meeting was adjourned for the year.



Cooperative Education Feature



GOOD LUCK GRADUATES

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caring for the children. She enjoys her work very much. Kay and the Cooperative Education Program would like to thank Mrs. Annette Flowers and Mr. J. Doug Kendrick for their help and support.



LOCAL ENTERTAINERS FEATURED AT DISNEY WORLD...The Elba High School Marching Tigers were featured as part of the daily Mickey Mouse Character Parade on Main Street, U.S.A. in the Magic Kingdom.

Seniors Of The Week

Featured this week as seniors of the week are Freddie King, Phillip Smith, Benita New, Janet Abbott, Teresa Simmons, Jeff Odum.

Michele Cox, Angie Holt, Connie Clay and Tonya Bryan. Freddie is 18 and the son of Mr. and Mrs. F.M. King. He has always attended Elba City Schools. He is a member of the WGA, March and his pastimes include fishing and football. His favorite class is U.S. History and his favorite teacher is Mrs. Jean Helms. After graduation Freddie plans to work at Disneyland and attend college in Orlando, Florida.

Phillip is the seventeen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy B. Smith. He has always attended Elba City Schools. He is a member of the WGA, March and his pastimes include fishing and football. His favorite class is U.S. History and his favorite teacher is Mrs. Tucker. In his leisure hours, Phillip enjoys riding bikes. After graduation he plans to attend Enterprise State Junior College, and later transfer to Auburn University.

Benita is the nineteen year old daughter of Al and Peggy New. She transferred to Elba from Samson in 1975. She is a member of EHA, and is presently employed at Hardee's. Her favorite class is Economics and her favorite teachers are Mr. Mack King and Mrs. Judith Tucker. Her pastimes include basketball and talking with friends. After graduation she plans to attend college.

Janet is the daughter of George Walker. She is seventeen, and transferred to Elba from Boston, Massachusetts. She is a member of FBLA and the Elba Lady Tigers Basketball team. Her favorite class is BOE II, and her favorite teacher is Mrs. Judith Tucker. Janet's pastimes include basketball and talking with friends. After graduation she plans to join the Army.

Teresa is the seventeen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Simmons. She has always attended Elba City Schools, and is presently a member of FHA and Youth for Christ. Her favorite class is Accounting, and her favorite teacher is Mr. Mack King. In her leisure hours, she enjoys being with friends and riding bikes. Her post-graduation plans are to work and later attend college.

Jeff is 18, and the son of Mrs. Odell Odum. He has

always attended Elba City Schools. His favorite class is math, and his favorite teacher is Mrs. Vickie Bandstra. After graduation he plans to attend trade school.

Michele is the eighteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferrin Cox. She has always attended Elba City Schools. She is vice-president of the Beta Club, and is a member of Youth For Christ, and Le Cercle de Francisc. She has served as editor for the Tiger Tracks page, and was selected as Elba High's DAR Good Citizen. She is employed at The Elba Clipper.

In her leisure hours, Michele enjoys sewing, cooking, reading and swimming. After graduation she plans to attend Enterprise State Junior College, and later transfer to the University of Alabama.

Angie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Holt. She is eighteen, and transferred to Elba from Demopolis, Alabama. She is a member of the Beta Club, and was a member of the French Club, Mu Alpha Theta, Youth For Christ, and the yearbook staff. Her pastimes include reading, Fluffy, and music.

After graduation she plans to attend Enterprise State Junior College, and later transfer to Auburn University.

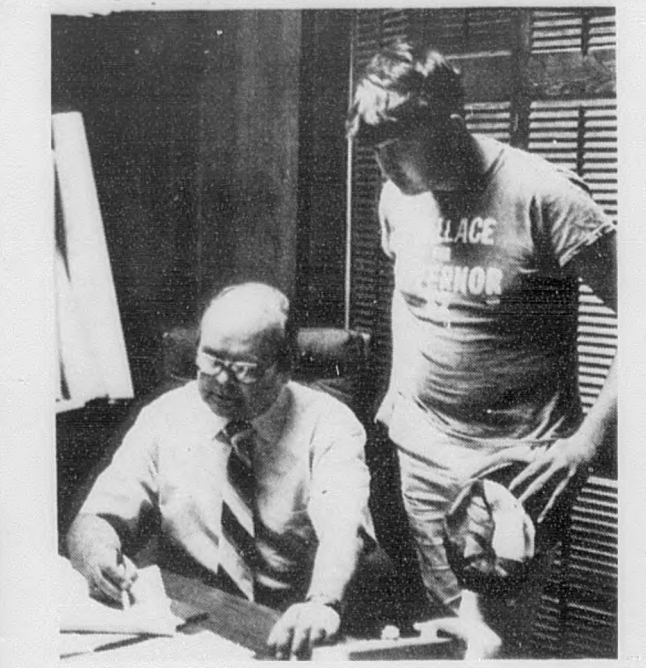
Tonya is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Clay. She is eighteen, and has always attended Elba City Schools. She is president of the Science Club, president of the Beta Club, and a member of Mu Alpha Theta, French Club, Youth For Christ, and Prep Bowl. Her favorite class is Advanced Composition, and her favorite teacher is Mrs. Addison. Connie's pastimes include reading and needlepoint. After graduation she plans to attend college at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee.

Connie is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Clay. She is eighteen, and has always attended Elba City Schools. She is president of the Science Club, president of the Beta Club, and a member of Mu Alpha Theta, French Club, Youth For Christ, and Prep Bowl. Her favorite class is Advanced Composition, and her favorite teacher is Mrs. Addison. Connie's pastimes include reading and needlepoint. After graduation she plans to attend college at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee.

Hamilton Speaks To FHA

The Elba Chapter of Future Homemakers of America highlighted the last regular meeting for this year with a national officer, Everett Hamilton, presenting the program. Everett is presently serving as a national FHA officer and has been a former state FHA president. Through the years, Everett has been very active in his local FHA chapter, as well. His experiences as a state and national leader have offered

him many opportunities for traveling and speaking. Prior to his coming to Elba, his most recent trip was to a convention in the Virgin Islands. While in Elba, Everett spoke on "Leadership Opportunities". He encouraged the active participation of the chapter members. The presentation was most challenging as we finalize this school year and begin to make plans for the coming year.



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One night of action got rained out last week, making this week's "Players of the Week" a little easier.

In Dixie Youth the pick is Tim Sullivan of the Mets. Sullivan pitched his team to win over the Astros and Tigers, allowing only eight hits and two runs in both games combined, while striking out 19 batters. He also got three hits and scored three runs, making him a sure pick.

The Babe Ruth honor goes to Stan Sauls, who pitched the Reds to a win over the previously unbeaten White Sox. Sauls hurled a five-hitter, struck out 11 batters and walked only one in the stellar performance. Good job!

The Cardinals finally got the win column by slipping past the Pirates 5-4. The Pirates led 4-1 early in the game, but Steve Sauls came in relief for the Cardinals in the second-inning and shut down the Pirates to spark the comeback! Willie Flowers and Vaughan got 1 hit apiece for the Cardinals, while Chris Thomas and Scott Kidd got the Pirates hits.

The Yankees jumped out to a 10-0 lead in the opening inning and breezed to a 14-5 win over the Pirates. The Yanks got only 2 hits in the first-inning explosion, but took advantage of 10 walks to all but put the game out of reason. Ken King, Jason Jones and Crawford got 1 hit each for the Yankees, while Audie Fudge, Scott Kidd, Chris Thomas, Brett Bryan, Keith Smith, Joe Brooks, and Jason Jacobs all got one hit for the Pirates.

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Views From THE PRESSBOX By, Ricky Mularz Editor

* It's not really that difficult to write a weekly column, except when your mind is wandering and you can't think of anything to write. Oh well, let's get started . . .

TIME TO WATCH A LITTLE TV

I usually don't get a chance to watch TV unless I stay up late at night, but Sunday afternoon I lay down on the couch with the baby and watched both the USFL and NBA.

Hershel Walker was playing in the football game and looked real good in the second half (which was all I saw), scoring on a long run and looking like the Hershel of old. However, he fumbled late in the game to allow Chicago to pull the game into overtime, and Chicago then won. Hershel usually doesn't fumble - maybe someone grabbed his wallet.

Pro basketball puts me to sleep and I hate the Lakers, but for some unknown reason I watched almost all the playoff game. I do like to watch Andrew Toney and Dr. J., so the outcome obviously pleased me. It was okay, but I doubt I'll watch any more.

ANOTHER BUSY WEEKEND IN ELBA

There was plenty of action in Elba again last weekend, as both a softball and golf tournament were held.

The softball tournament drew a nine-team field and was very evenly matched. The Elba Exchange Bank won the trophy by coming out of the loser's bracket, and was the only Elba team to win a trophy. The Bank got off to a slow start, but scored 50 runs in the final four games to claim the crown.

The golf tournament at the Country Club drew 120 golfers and sponsors feel it was one of the club's best tournaments ever. The DeFunak Springs team of Don Hagler and Chuck Roehm won the event for the second straight year and blistered the course at 11-under par. These "4-Ball" events are fun for everyone and are getting more popular every year.

For the past two weekends, Elba has been the place to be!

NEW CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM IS FILLED WITH SURPRISES

The Alabama High School Athletic Association unveiled its new "six-class" alignment last week and if it passes it will make the '84 season one to watch for.

The proposal, simply stated, would place 64 teams in each class, divided into 16 areas in each class. The winner and runner-up in each area would qualify for the playoffs, thus putting 32 teams in the playoffs. Still with me?

Elba would be a 4A school in Area 3, which would include Elba, Daleville and Brundidge. A win over either of the two opponents would put Elba in the playoffs against the top two teams in Area 4, which includes Abbeville, Ashford, Dale County and Clayton. Sounds interesting, doesn't it!

New Brockton would remain 2A and be in Area 4 along with Cottonwood, Houston County and Georgia, and if he made it to state, would meet the survivors of Area 3, which includes Florala, Zion Chapel, Goshen and Straughn.

The new playoff system will put more teams in post-season action and create quite a stir, however, it still needs a little work.

GOING OUT ON A LIMB

Okay, I'm going to go out on a limb and say the Elba Softball Classic will be held at the new ball park! The grass is coming along, the pressbox is nearing completion and the lights and scoreboards are hooked up. The infield needs packing and a little landscaping is needed in spots, but there is time to get all the work done by June 24; and if the Recreation Department workers put in some work up at the parks, they can be ready.

I challenge Recreation Director Dennis Smith to prove everybody wrong and get the funds ready!

COACHING VACANCY AT ELBA CREATES EXCITEMENT

The resignation of John Frank Hudson last week left a hole in the coaching staff at Elba High, and the town's abuzz wondering who will take his place on the staff.

The most-mentioned name is that of New Brockton's Coach Leavy Boutwell, an ex-Elba grid star. Boutwell has led the Pirates to a 30-10 record in four seasons and is considered one of the top "line" and "weight" coaches in the state! Reports are that Boutwell is willing to step down from head coach at New Brockton to accept the assistant job at Elba, and I believe it, because I know Boutwell would love to come home. There's no doubt Coach Boutwell would be a valuable asset to Elba High.

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

One night of action got rained out last week, making this week's "Players of the Week" a little easier.

In Dixie Youth the pick is Tim Sullivan of the Mets. Sullivan pitched his team to win over the Astros and Tigers, allowing only eight hits and two runs in both games combined, while striking out 19 batters. He also got three hits and scored three runs, making him a sure pick.

The Babe Ruth honor goes to Stan Sauls, who pitched the Reds to a win over the previously unbeaten White Sox. Sauls hurled a five-hitter, struck out 11 batters and walked only one in the stellar performance. Good job!

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Southeast Alabama Basketball Camp Set For ESJC On June 20-24

The first annual Southeast Alabama Basketball Camp will be held at Enterprise State Junior College on June 20-24, with an experienced staff of coaches, instructors and individualized and small group instruction.

The daily activity schedule, which will start at 9:00

Deep South Racking Horse Show Set For Saturday Night In Elba

The fifth annual Deep South Racking Horse Show will be held in Elba Saturday, May 28, with activities to begin at 6 p.m. at the Elba Recreation Center on Highway 87 North.

Sponsoring this year's event is the Elba Pilot Club. The Pilot Club also sponsors other activities, such as Operation Santa Claus,

Operation Bunny (new spring clothes for needy children; and projects for the Elba Nursing Home. They also make donations to Pilot International Foundation (projects for the handicapped), Operation Independence in New Brockton; the Vivian B. Adams School in Ozark, New Life of Enterprise/Pt. Rucker,

Special Olympics, the Elba Band, Elba Rescue Squad, and other local charities.

Judging the show will be the Hon. Mack Hess, Chattanooga, TN; the Hon. C.H. McGhee, Decatur, GA, and the Hon. Wilford James, Cullman, AL. Serving as master of ceremonies will be Mr. Jack Yeiser, Waynes-

boro, TN, and as organist Mr. John McDonald from Collinsville, MS. Mr. Larry Blankenship of Bessemer, AL, will be the farrier. Mr. Fred Oglesby, Elba, is show chairman, and Ms. Sue Brewer, also from Elba, is show secretary.

The Deep Horse Show has grown by leaps and bounds in the past five years and promises to be even bigger and better than ever this year. It will host 22 classes in which horses from Alabama, Georgia, Florida and Tennessee will be competing for the blue ribbon in these events. Over \$3,000 in prize money will be awarded to the winners, with first place winners receiving a silver tray as well. An exhibition of the 1982 World Grand Champion "Intruder's Night Hawk" will also be on the schedule.

Another addition to this year's show will be an Arts and Crafts display. Anyone interested in setting up a display may call Susie Holderfield at 205/897-2216. Space rental will be \$5.00.

The ladies of the Pilot Club will also have concessions available. Bring lawn chairs and be ready to enjoy this first-class horse show which will be entertaining for the whole family.



Jack Brewer...atop King Magic, owned by Dr. & Mrs. Matt Holmes

Hagler & Roehm Claim Crown In Elba 4-Ball Golf Tourney

The Elba Country Club held a "4 Ball" golf tournament last weekend with 60 teams competing and winning the championship was the duo of Don Hagler and Chuck Roehm with a two-day score of 131.

The DeFunak Springs golfers fired a six-under par 65 on Saturday, then posted a five-under 66 Sunday to win by 4-strokes.

Following are complete tournament results:

Championship Flight "A"

1. Hagler Roehm 65-66-131
2. Coles-Williams 68-67-135
3. Swan-Davis 70-65-135
4. Martin-D. Smith 68-68-136
5. Chancey Steffan 70-66-136
(Also) Mouton-West 138, Jackson-Hall 139, Morgan-Kennedy 141, Weaver-Lee 142, and Senn-Senn 144.

Championship Flight "B"

1. Hanchey-McClean 73-68-141

21. Burnett-Patton 72-70-142
22. Sessions 72-70-142
23. Sport-Johnson 73-70-143
24. Cummings-Chandler 73-70-143
(Also) Wallace-Day 144, Lank-Hardy 145, Holley-Edgar 145, Morrow-Marsh 146, and Blocker-Jones 147.

First Flight

1. D. Burns-Clark 74-70-144
2. Crowe-Weeks 74-71-145
3. Grimmer-Harrison 74-71-145
4. LeGrette-Henderson 75-73-148
(Also) Taylor-Warrick 149, Adams-Meese 150, R. Burns-Nail 151, Brunson-Capps 152, Bozeman-Nutt 153, Mills-Burch 155.

Second Flight

1. Nicholson-Colquett 77-66-143
2. Carnes-Bell 77-74-151
3. Grimmer-Harrison 79-73-152
4. Griffen-Weeks 79-76-155
5. Helms-Pouncey 78-77-155
6. Grantham-Smith 78-77-155

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(Also) Pope-T. Hudson 156, Prescott-King 156, Sinner-Weeks 157, F. Hu 157, N. Hudson 159.

Third Flight

1. Martin-Dansby 82-73-155
2. Wood-Wood 80-78-158
3. Riley-Mercer 88-81-169
4. Bowers-Taylor 86-87-173
(Also) Ward-Bimbo 175, Branson-Osburn 176, Cook-Shirley 178, Lindsey-Murphree 178, Prior-Stokes 180, Cade-Dewberry 209.

Fourth Flight

1. Davis-Short 85-74-159
2. Russell-L. Grantham 85-82-167
3. Riley-Mercer 88-81-169
4. Bowers-Taylor 86-87-173
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Elba Exchange Bank Sits Atop Men's Softball

The men's softball league continued its season last week with the Elba Exchange Bank running its record up to 6-0. Following the Bank in the standings are the Peoples Bank 4-1, Hickman Movers 3-1, Hickory Pit 3-2, Cook Chevrolet 2-2, New

Hammonds Body Shop 2-2, Hammonds Body Shop 2-2, Kelley's Packing 2-4, Elba Merchants 1-4, Work Release 1-4 and Southland Brothers 0-4.

Hammonds Body 14
Hickory Pit 2

Hammonds Body Shop used the long ball to take command and rolled to a 14-2 romp over the Hickory Pit. Paul Phillips got 4 hits to pace Hammonds, while Sam Terry, "Big Red" Bennett and Billy Terry all added 3 hits. Ray Marler and Wayne Foley got 3 hits apiece for the Pit, while Gary Bradshaw added 2.

Cook Chevrolet 24
Elba Merchants 8

Cook Chevrolet pounded out 25 hits and took advantage of 9 errors to bury the Elba Merchants 24-8. Ricky Rainer collected 5 hits to lead Cook, Blake Foley added 4, Steven McCollough, Greg Ellenburg and Thelmer Wise added 3 and Greg Parker got 2. Bruce Nelson got 3 hits for the Merchants, while John Covington added 2.

Work Release 8
Kelley's Packing 4

Work Release led all the way to knock off Kelley's Packing 8-4. Robinson, Brown, Timmons, Clisby and Howard all got 2 hits for Work Release. Ed Oakley got 3 hits for Kelley's while Tim Dyess, Sammy Smith and

Hickman Movers 11
N.B. Merchants 10

The Hickman Movers scored 2 runs in the bottom of the eighth-inning to squeak past the New Brockton Merchants 11-10. Lee Brown, Danny Sanders and Tommy Adams got 3 hits apiece for the Bank, while Chad Gilbert, Randy Warren and Mike McKee all added 2. Bobby Kinsaul got 4 hits to lead the Merchants, Chuck Coleman and Freddie Thomas both added 3, while Dumpy DeVaughn and Lamar Sasser got 2 each.

Cook Chevrolet 16
Southland Brothers 15

Cook Chevrolet pulled away midway thru the game and then held on to edge Southland Brothers 16-15. Greg Parker got 4 hits to pace Cook, Steven McCollough, Greg Ellenburg, David Roden and Blake Foley all added 3, while Ricky Rainer and Thelmer Wise got 2 each. Butch White, Danny Stewart and O.C. King got 3 hits apiece for Southland, while Flowers, Andrews and Bradshaw all added 2.

Hickory Pit 12
N.B. Merchants 5

The Hickory Pit pulled ahead in the third-inning and never looked back in dumping the New Brockton Merchants 12-5. Ray Marler, Gary Bradshaw and Jerel Flowers got 2 hits apiece for the Pit, Robert Donaldson got 3 hits for the Merchants while Dumpy DeVaughn added 2.

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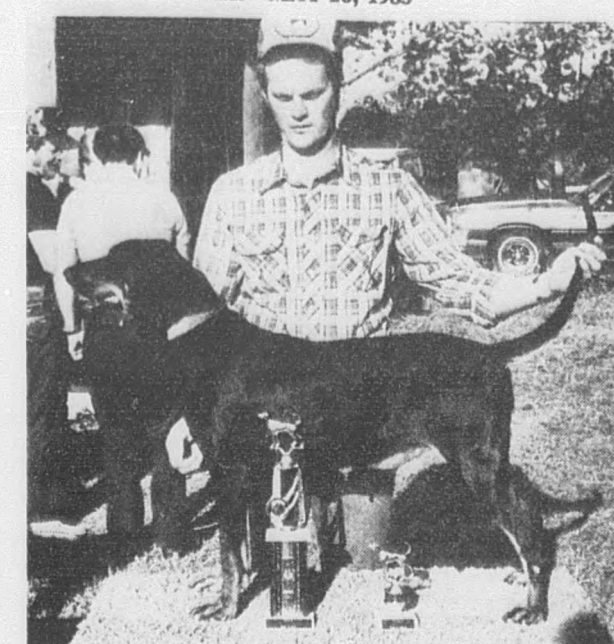
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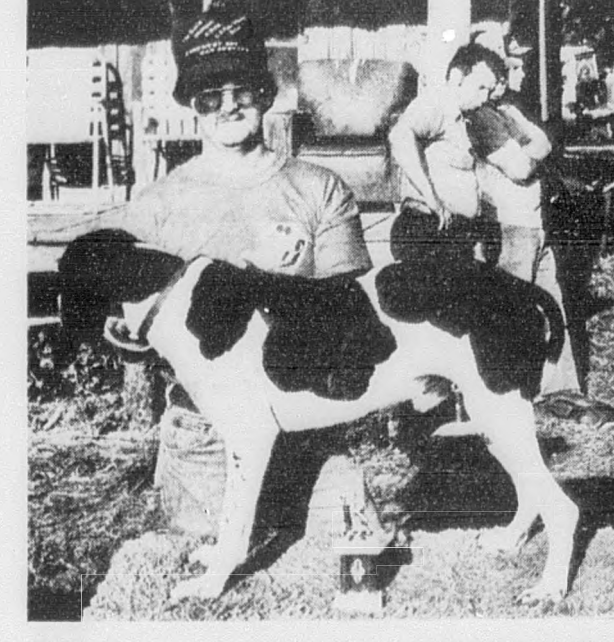
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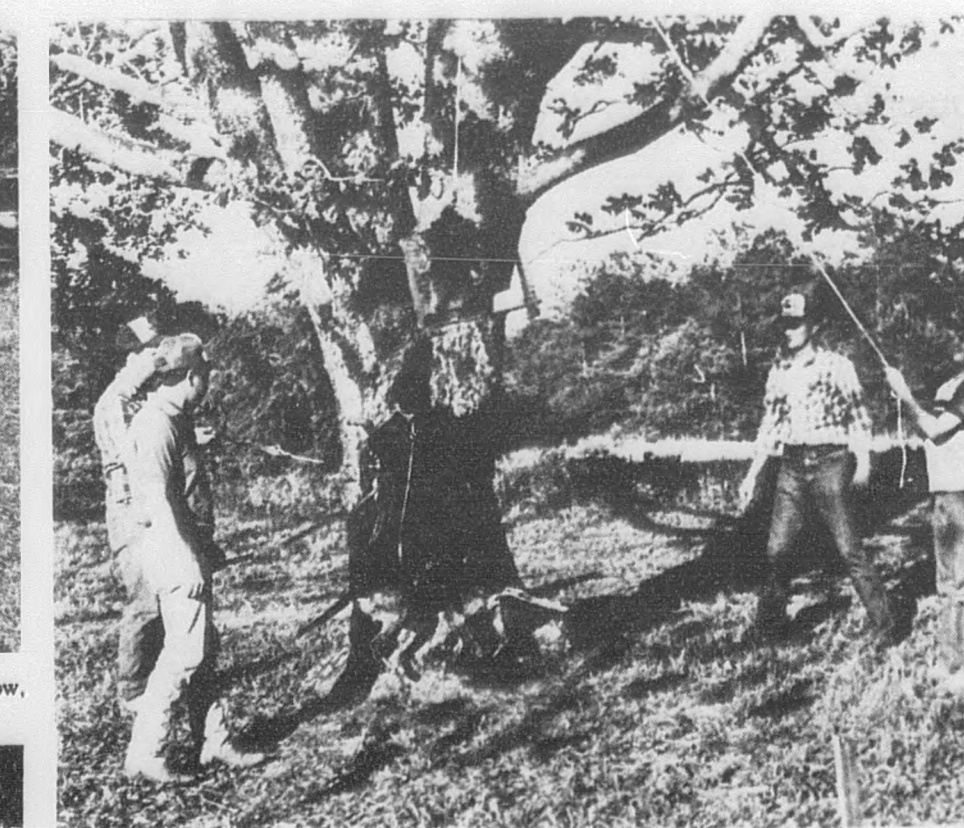


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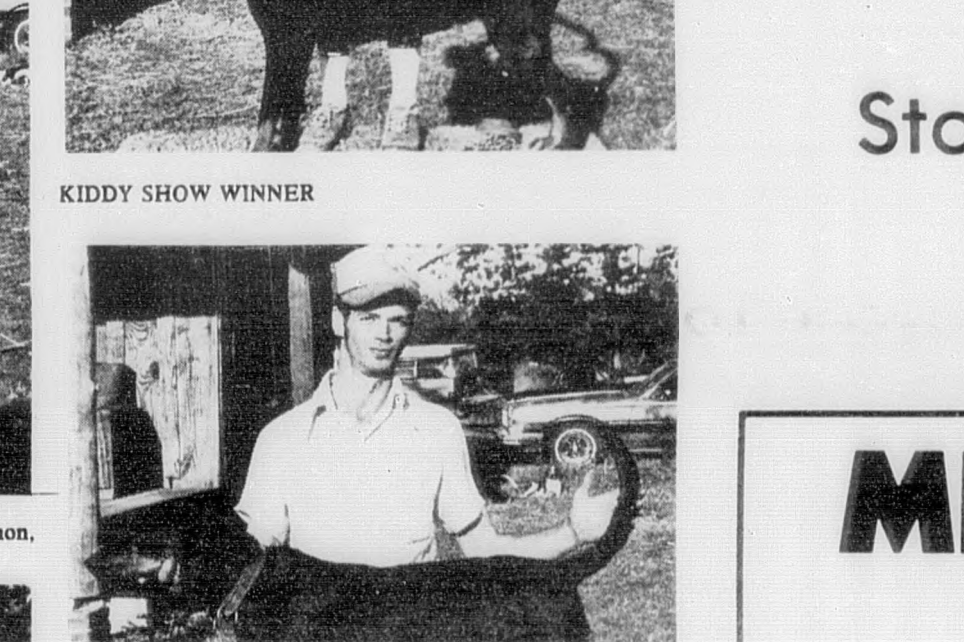
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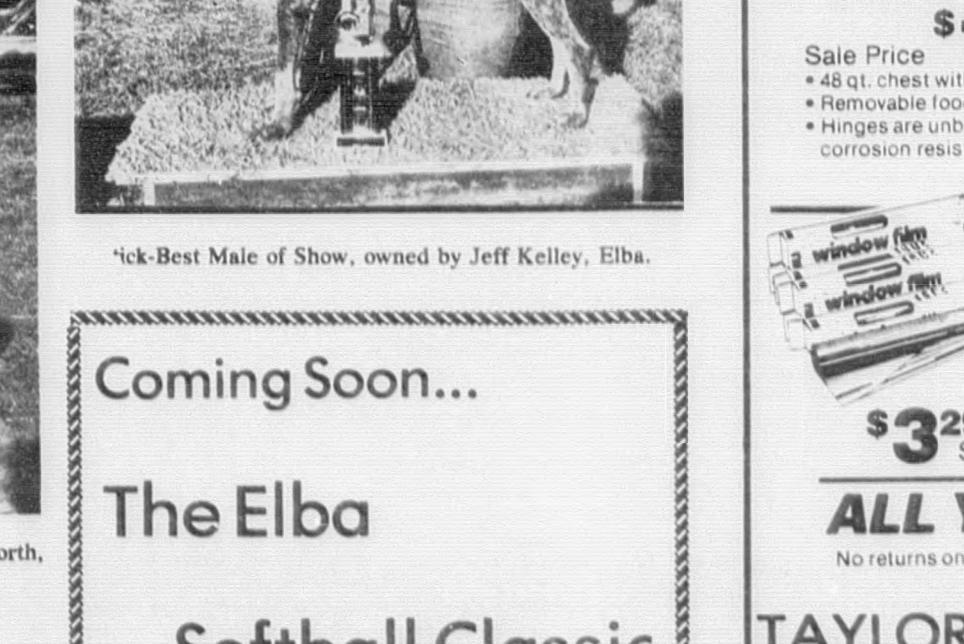
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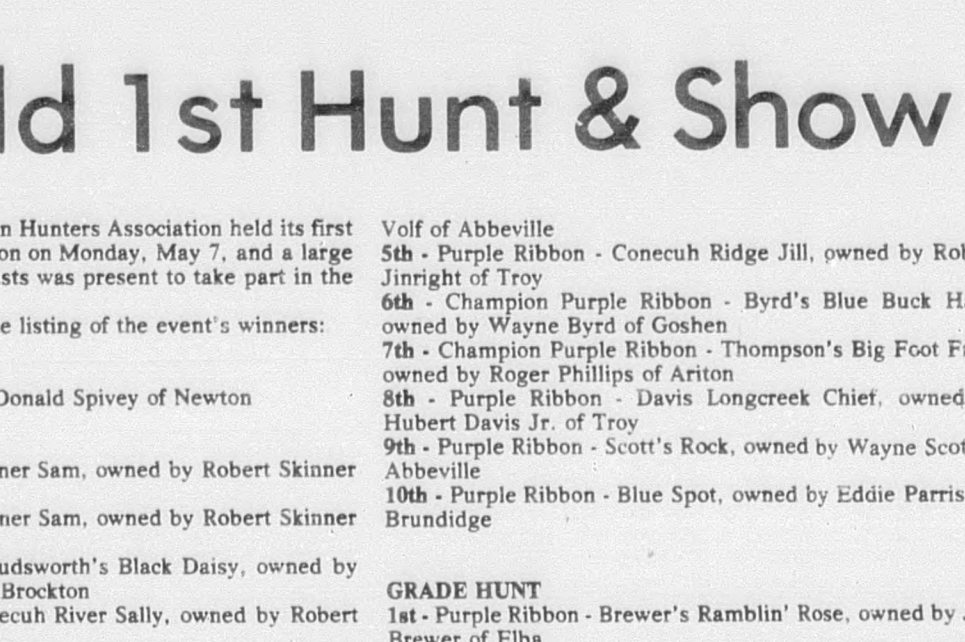


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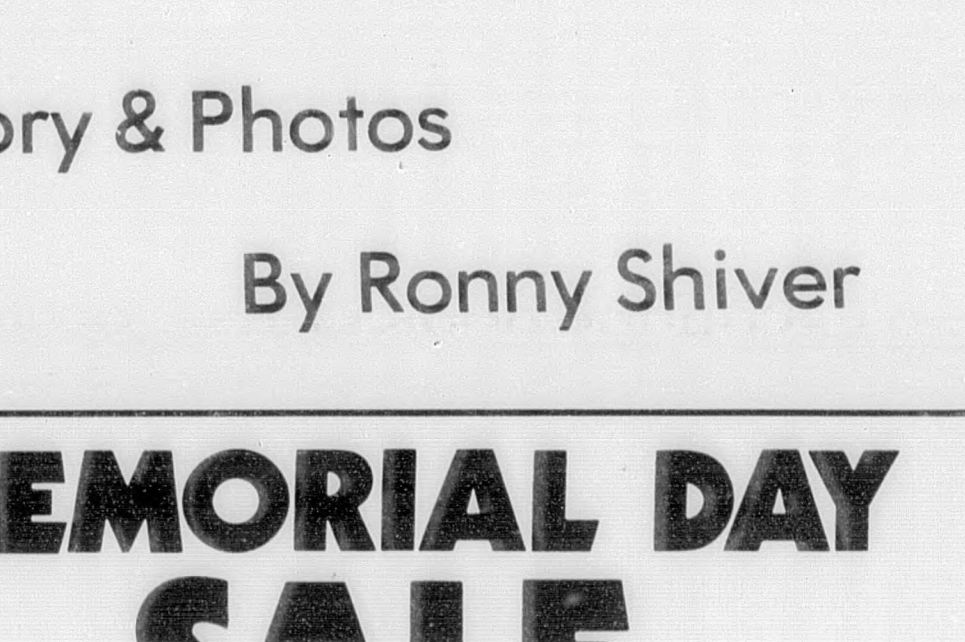
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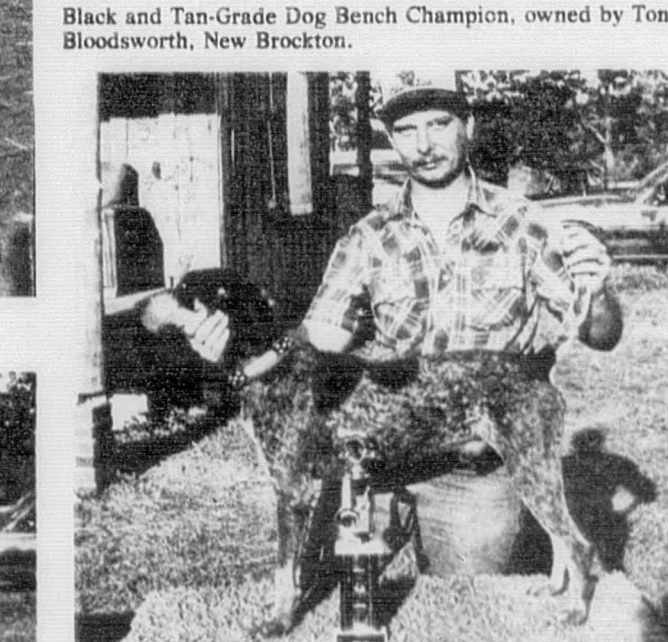
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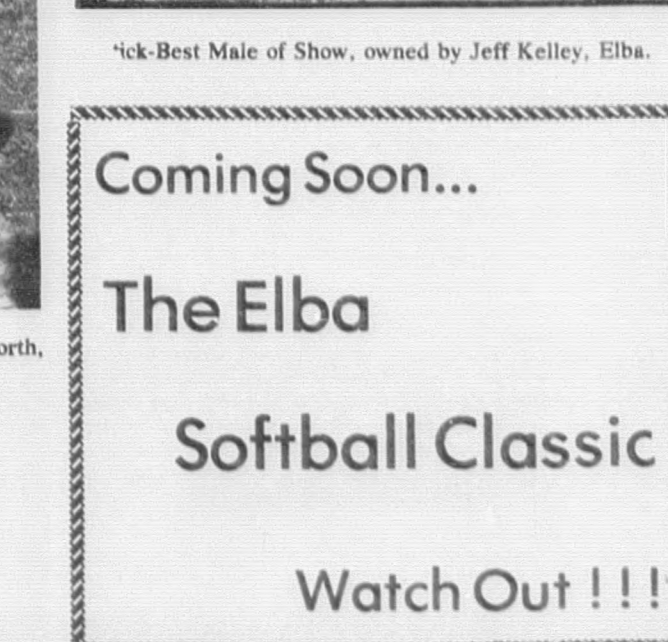
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The Coffee County Coon Hunters Association held its first show and hunt of the season on Monday, May 7, and a large group of hunting enthusiasts was present to take part in the day's activities.

Following is a complete listing of the event's winners:

NIGHT CHAMP
Spivey's Lehl, owned by Donald Spivey of Newton

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1st - Purple Ribbon - Skinner Sam, owned by Robert Skinner of Hartford

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2nd - Purple Ribbon - Bludworth's Black Daisy, owned by Tony Bludworth of New Brockton

3rd - Purple Ribbon - Conecuh River Sally, owned by Robert Craddy of Union Springs

4th - Purple Ribbon - Indian Creek Whistler, owned by Merlin Volf of Abbeville

5th - Purple Ribbon - Conecuh Ridge Jill, owned by Robert Jinnight of Troy

6th - Champion Purple Ribbon - Byrd's Blue Buck Ham, owned by Wayne Byrd of Goshen

7th - Champion Purple Ribbon - Thompson's Big Foot Fred, owned by Roger Phillips of Antton

8th - Purple Ribbon - Davis Longcreek Chief, owned by Hubert Davis Jr. of Troy

9th - Purple Ribbon - Scott's Rock, owned by Wayne Scott of Abbeville

10th - Purple Ribbon - Blue Spot, owned by Eddie Parrish of Brundidge

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ALL AROUND COFFEE COUNTY

THOMAS C. CASADAY

EXCELLENT MATERIAL

Never have we had so many calls for information on controlling weeds in lawns. In years of heavy rainfall, weed seed germinate by the millions and will take over a lawn. This year we have more weeds than any year in 10 years.

However, homeowners are fortunate in that there is a material available which will give excellent control of weeds in lawns. We recommend 33 Plus because it kills a large number of tough lawn weeds. It provides contact kill and also residual control. Use a hose end sprayer or a pump-up sprayer to apply. Adjust to a coarse spray.

You can use 33 Plus on Bermuda, Zoysia, Centipede and St. Augustine lawns. For best control spray 33 Plus at intervals when weeds are growing. You will get a better kill when weeds are young and tender and growing rapidly. You can apply 33 Plus in the fall to take out late germinating weeds and to provide residual control during the winter.

Of course, be sure to follow directions and do not spray when the wind will blow the material onto vegetables, flowers and ornamental plants. Read directions carefully.

BAD NEWS

Several beautiful pecan trees were blown over by the county last week. Many of these trees were in New Brighton.

I talked to Dr. Harry Amming, of the Auburn University Horticulture Department, about saving these trees. He had this to say: "Trees that are leaning could be saved."

at a 45 degree angle or so, if pulled upright will only live about five years. Because of the injury to the root system, the trees are ready to bear again, they die. So I would not recommend trying to up-right them. Of course, trees which are blown down need to be trimmed up and carried away."

On limbs which have been broken and twisted, simply saw off the limbs at a point below the injury in the good wood, and they will grow and do well.

Amming concluded, "With two severe hurricanes on the Gulf Coast the last few years, we have learned what to do and what not to do in trying to re-set pecan trees."

Amming suggested that where trees are to be replaced, use the Sumner or Jackson variety because both are scab resistant. Don't put the new trees right back in the same holes where the old trees were.

GET READY

Peanut and soybean growers are going to have one of the worst weed problems in recent history if these May rains keep on. In fact, we have already had enough rain to germinate a lot of extra weed seed this time. This may be the year when extra applications of the postemergence herbicides need to be used.

Peanut producers can use Butyrac, Butoxone, Basagran, Prempro, 3, Dynapar or Blazer as postemergence sprays.

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Coffee Correspondence

SARA E. HUTCHINSON

IMITATION FOOD

Do you know that existing government policy says that an imitation food is a product that substitutes for and resembles a traditional food, but is nutritionally inferior to that food? And, too, there are no "legal standards" of identity for imitation foods. This means that manufacturers of imitation foods are free to change ingredients whenever they want to. So we cannot always count on imitations to be consistent.

Moreover, foods may be labeled "organic," or "natural," or "health foods," but the federal government has no legal definition for these terms. Therefore, manufacturers may use these words to describe almost any product and consequently charge a higher price. I just wanted you to be aware of the pitfalls of "imitation foods."

Occasionally you might have an expensive piece of equipment fall within the warranty period. If you can't get satisfactory service for it, what can you do? You can contact the Major Appliance Consumer Action Panel (MACAP), a panel of seven consumer experts who represent you in their dealings with the major appliance industry. MACAP will make recommendations to you and

the manufacturer for a solution. But remember, the time to worry about what a warranty covers is before you buy an appliance. Ask these five basic questions: Does the warranty cover the entire appliance? Who is responsible for repairing the product - the dealer, service company, or manufacturer? Who pays for repairs, parts, labor or shipping charges? How long does the warranty last on the entire product and on individual parts such as the motor? If the product is broken down or has to be removed for repair, will a substitute be provided, for how long, and by whom?

There is a toll-free number in Birmingham which you can call for cancer information 1-800-422-6237. Or an easy way to remember this number is 1-800-4-CANCER. The number is for the public, patients, and patients' families. For answers to your questions about cancer call them. They are able to give you answers or help you find answers to your questions. They do not, however, diagnose or recommend treatment. But they will give you information on the latest research, provide emotional support, and make

referrals to local resources. You can call Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Plans are for the 34th Annual Blessing of the Fleet to follow its traditional agenda, beginning at 10:30 a.m. with the official Blessing of the Fleet at St. Margaret's Church. Later, colorfully decorated boats will journey up the bayou where the Bishop of Mobile, Archbishop Oscar Lipscomb, will bless each boat. He also will lower a

wreath in the bayou in memory of departed fishermen.

Thousands of visitors travel to the small Alabama coastal town each year for this popular event, which also includes an arts and crafts fair and famed bayou seafood dinners. At 2:30 p.m., prior to the boat parade, the Fleet Maid will be crowned.

Persons interested in enrolling for session one of Computers Are For Young People should register before the deadline dates of May 30 and 31, 1983.

Enrollment is limited to 20 and the fee is \$30. Fundamentals of computer technology and elementary computer programming with "hands on" experience on personal computers will be featured. Session II meets from June 20 through June 30.

More information may be obtained by calling the Short Course Office at 347-0650. To register by mail send name, address, phone number, name of course or courses desired, and the proper fee to: Short Course Office, Enterprise State Junior College, P.O. Box 1300, Enterprise, AL 36331.

Three sessions of Computers Are For Young People are offered this summer. Session I meets from 8 till 10:15 a.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from June 6 through June 16.

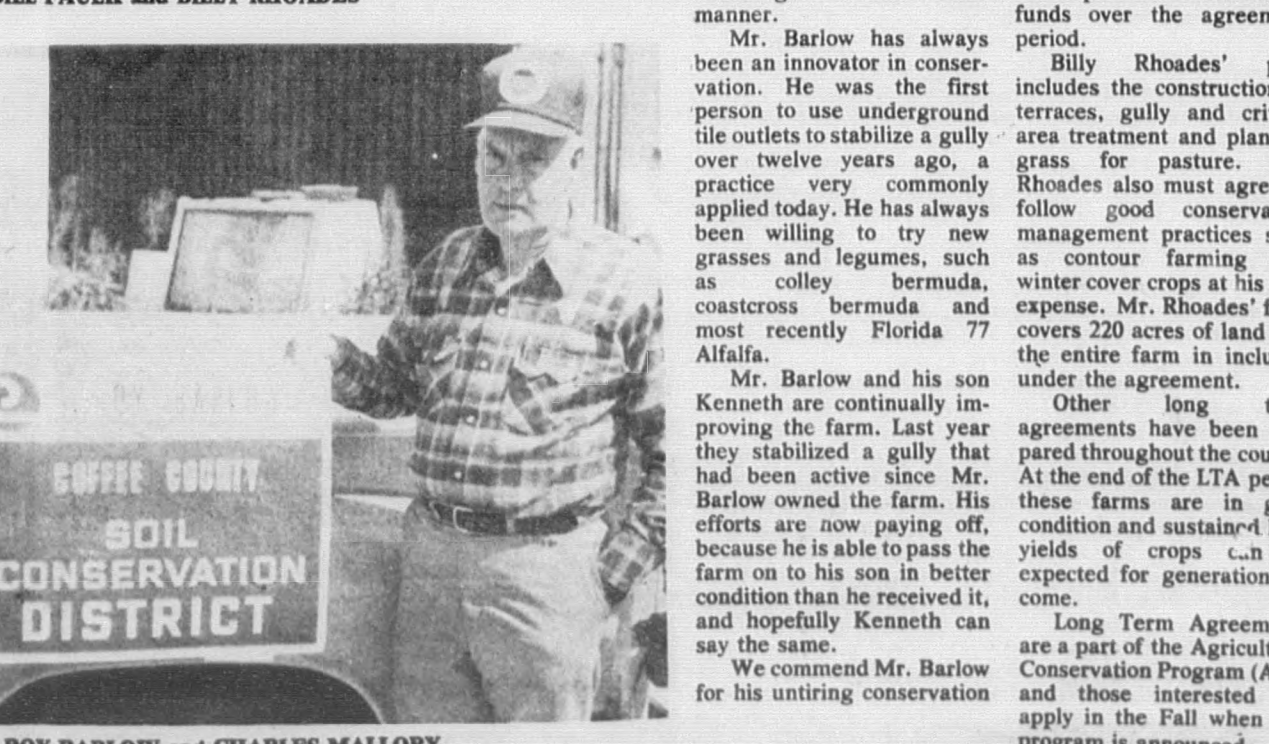
Long Term Agreements For SOIL CONSERVATION

Billy Rhoades is one of four landowners in the county who was approved for a Long Term Agreement with the Soil Conservation Service. A long term agreement is a plan with the landowner and the ASCS office. The Soil Conservation Service prepares the plan with the landowner and provides the technical assistance in application of the practices. The ASCS provides cost sharing funds over the agreement period.

Other long term agreements have been prepared throughout the county. At the end of the LTA period these farms are in good condition and sustain high yields of crops. Long Term Agreements are a part of the Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP) and those interested can apply in the Fall when this program is announced.



BILL FAULK and BILLY RHOADES



MR. ROY BARLOW and CHARLES MALLORY

Hospital News

Persons admitted and discharged at Elba General Hospital during the period of May 17-May 25 include the following:

Admissions

Sandra Fleming, Lillian Lee, Curtis Hodge, Claudine Kelsey, Versie Henderson, Vera Lois Edgar, Julia Phillips, Mable Lawless, Jim Carr, Roy Creech, Prince Kelley, Ida Mae Hooks, John D. Burch, Ryan Ward, James Eric Culver, Roy Hudson, Berry Edna Smith, Noah Hodge, Houston Cooper, Retha Mae Waters, Lydia Brown, Katie Edkins, Norman Henderson, T.J. White, Henry Towles, Robert Hickey, Nettie Hudson, Carl Drummond, Janice Goodson, Genie Adcock, Ruby Gray, Etta Hudson, Louie Wayne Watson, Ida Glen Davis, Gertrude Mills, Malcolm Knox, Faye Sauls, John Holley, Peggy Jean Pouncey

DISCHARGES

Lawrence Creel, Virginia Annette Casey, Hester McGowan, Les Blackmon, Roy Faye Flowers, Pauline Shiver, James Grafton Young, James Fillman, Lewis Berry, Bertie Dixon, Ruth Parker, Mable Fleming, Vertene Edwhite, Katie Edkins, Eddie Disotell, Michael Andrews, Jim C. Carr, L.T. Vasey, Henry Hutto, Mavis Parks, Claudine Kelley, Lillian Lee, Curtis Hodge, Burrie Nelson, Daniel Johnson, Versie Henderson, Joy Bowdoin, Ivan Kilecase, Ryan Ward, James Eric Culver, Vera Lois Edgar, Houston Cooper, Vassie Ward, Lydia Brown, Anna Clark, Jeanette Morgan, Roy Hudson, Julia Phillips, Maude Colleen Grant, Carol Drummond, Ida Mae Hooks, Prince Kelley

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ESJC Commencement To Be Held May 26

A record 374 degrees and certificates will be awarded at the Seventeenth Commencement Service at Enterprise State Junior College at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, May 26, 1983.

Students receiving Associate in Arts Degrees include: Sheri Donaldson and Tammy Smith, Elba; Mike Fresse and Beverly Helms, New Brockton; Bobby Fuller, and Ronald Gray, Kinston.

Associate in Science Degrees: Elba - Walter Bullard, Kaye Dublar, Vickie Ellison, Bobby English, Nigel Ham, Charles Hayes, IV, Edward Kelley, Jr., Juanita Nunez, Marica Richburg, Sandra Smart and Jan Wicker; Stephen Foster, Lori Griffin, Jessie Sawyer, and Robert Szeszynski, New Brockton; Associate in Applied Science in Computer Science: William Brazelton, Jimmy Farris, and Melinda Nelson, Elba; Kathleen Downing, Jack; Bernardette Pair, New Brockton; Associate in Accounting Option Certificates: Leah Stevens, New Brockton; Secretarial Science Certificates: Sheila Hendrickson, Kinston; Gail Knox, Elba; Secretarial Science - Clerical Secretary Certificates: Patsy Chandler, Elba; Recreation Certificate: Robert Szeszynski, New Brockton.

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***Happy Birthday goes out to April Smith, Jessie Robinson, C.C. Brown, Michael L. Likely, Kewyn

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ark for the saving of his households... (Heb. 11:7). Noah feared the power of God. That was a right fear... a proper spiritual fear. But Noah didn't let his fear worry and frustrate him. Noah acted on his fear. He did something about it! The great importance of the fear of God has been woefully misunderstood. Let's understand its full significance. "By the fear of the Lord men depart from evil" (Prov. 16:8) this fear warns us that God will punish us if we harm ourselves by doing evil. When we do evil we harm ourselves. To teach us not to do evil, God sometimes has to punish us. That is how the fear of God leads us away from the danger of evil...both physical and spiritual danger. "The fear of the Lord is the instruction of wisdom." (Prov. 15:33) Amen.

***Sympathy goes out to the Cole family during the time of your loss. May God be with you and Bless you all the days of your life.

***In hoping that Joyce Folmar Jones will get well soon. We're praying for you dear.

***The Nelson and Logan reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nelson, Hardin Street, Opp, AL on May 8, 1983. Out town guest were: Mrs. Lillie Bradford, Texas; Mrs. Virginia Rogers, Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. James Cole, Bernard Nelson, Montgomery; Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Reynolds, Elba; and Myrtle Hicks, Fort Walton, Florida; and several other relatives and friends. A delicious meal was enjoyed by all.

***Sgt. Louis Nelson Jr., is back in Germany after a one month visit with his parents Louis and Olean Nelson of Opp, Alabama.

***The ministers, deacons and women quarterly union of the Southwest district to be held with Grace Chapel Baptist Church, Rev. Alton Smith, pastor... Andalusia, Alabama, May 29, 1983.

***Come let us reason together, Isaiah 1:8 is the theme of the Greenleaf District Auxiliary Convocation, May 23-28, 1983 at the New Philadelphia C.O. G.I.C. Elba, Alabama. Services to begin nightly at 7:30 p.m. Every one is cordially invited.

***Congratulations goes out to Hammond Body Shop softball team for being victorious in Brundidge recently.

***The Holy Angels was scheduled to cut an album Saturday. I hope it'll be a big success.

PRAYER FOR LIVING

Keep us O Lord from pettiness: Let us be large in thought, in word and deed. Let us be done with fault-finding and leave off self-seeking.

May we put away all pretense and meet each other face to face, with out self-pity and without prejudice. May we never be hasty in judgement and always generous.

Teach us to put into action our better impulses, straight forward and unafraid. Let us take time for all things: Make us grow calm, serene, gentle. Grant that we realize that it is the little things that create differences. That in the big things in life we are as one.

And may we strive to touch and know the great common human heart of all of us. And O Lord God, Let us not forget to be kind.

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***The Ebony Las Donas Club will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Edwina Williams, May 28, 1983 at 7:00 p.m.

***The Venus Garden Club invites all children of all ages to a community youth meeting Sunday, May 29, 1983 at the Basketball Court, Mulberry's Park at 5:30 p.m. Mrs. Ethel Horstead will be the featured speaker. We're asking and urging all parents to support and help us make our neighborhood a better place to live.

***This age has lost its healthy respect for God. Notice this example: By faith Noah, being divinely warned of things not yet seen moved and built an ark. Prepared an

International Gold Bullion Exchange, Inc., a precious metal sales investment operation, is under investigation for alleged consumer fraud in Alabama. Attorney General Charles A. Graddick said today.

The investigation is being conducted by the Attorney General's Office of Consumer Protection for possible violations of the Deceptive Trade Practices Act.

"My office has received complaints from a number of citizens who say International Gold Bullion Exchange has failed to deliver goods as promised and has not made refunds of the purchase price for non-delivered goods," Graddick said.

International Gold Bullion operates offices in Florida, Texas and California. It offered the sale of precious metals, primarily gold Kregerands, for investment with a guaranteed payment of one percent over current prime rate for every day after the promised delivery date that the metals were not received.

Consumers report receiving neither metals nor the promised payment after non-delivery, Graddick said.

Securities Commission issued a "cease and desist" order making the sale of good by International Gold Bullion Exchange, Inc., after April 19 illegal. The order was based on the Exchange's failure to register with the Commission as a securities brokerage.

Consumers may submit written complaints against International Gold Bullion Exchange, Inc., to Attorney General's Office of Consumer Protection, 560 South McDonough Street, Montgomery, AL 36104.

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City Applies For \$100,000 Grant

The Elba Recreation Board met on Wednesday night, May 25, at City Hall and voted to apply for a grant application for funding to construct four (4)

new tennis courts at the Hawkins-Williams Recreation Park and replace the lighting system at Legion Field. The grant would be a \$50,50 type

grant, with the city matching the \$50,000 in Federal funds, making the total grant \$100,000.

The tennis courts would cost \$55,000 to construct, while it will cost \$46,000 to install the new lighting system at Legion Field, which hosts the high school and Babe Ruth baseball teams.

An application for over \$300,000 in funds available under the JOBS program was discussed and Recreation Director Dennis Smith stated the funding of the program would take place in July. If the local grant is approved, a new city pool would be constructed and the two pools now in use would be closed.

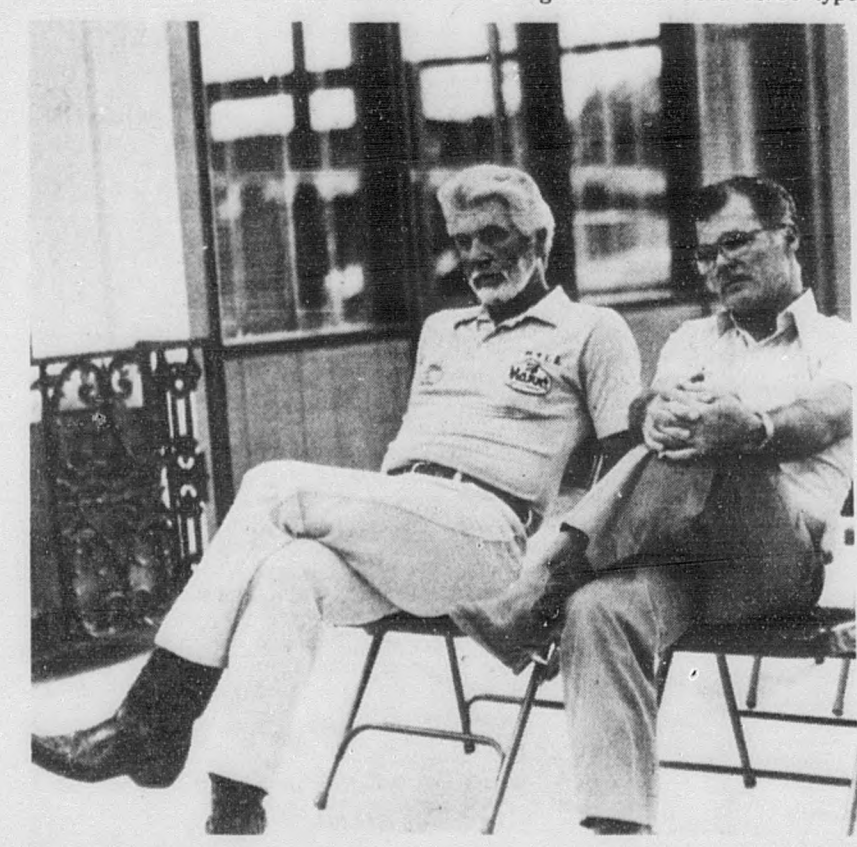
Bill Waldon, Ronnie Jirnight and Jackie Farmer were present at the meeting and expressed concern about the future recreational value of the Pea River, including fishing, boating and camping. The three visitors suggested building a new boat ramp and the

possibility of restocking the river, and questioned the amount of funds now available to build a boat ramp.

The board agreed another boat ramp would be useful on the river, but stated such a ramp should be built behind the dam, which would result in no funds being available. There is presently \$5,000 available to build a ramp; however, the location of such a ramp is tied in with the funding.

On the subject of restocking, the visitors were told the river would be restocked with hybrid bass, but were also informed of a recent Conservation Dept. report which stated the river had a low fertility rate.

The Wednesday meeting was the board's monthly meeting for May and present was Recreation Director Dennis Smith, along with board members Betty Sauls, Gaynes Waters and Ricky Mularg.



RECREATION BOARD VISITORS... Bill Waldon (left) and Ronnie Jirnight were present at last week's Recreation Board meeting and urged members to take advantage of the resources of the Pea River.



HOSPITAL BOARD ATTORNEY Merrill Shirley (left) explains wording of lease papers at Friday's meeting. Also pictured is Bill Wayland, vice-president and legal counsel for National Healthcare.

Hospital Authority Approves Pact

A special called meeting of the Elba Hospital Authority was held last Friday at noon. The meeting was for the purpose of approving a change order on the remodeling of the facility and to discuss and approve terms of the management contract with National Healthcare. The management agreement will be in force until the official signing of the previously announced lease agreement.

The change order dealt with installing a new fire alarm system in the nursing home, replacing the nurse call system at the hospital and the nursing home; installation of parking lot bumpers, roof repairs on the older part of the building, and installation of a new compressed air system. This will cost an estimated \$44,993 and is part of the almost completed \$1.9 million renovation and expansion program. There will be \$16,000 left in construction funds. This money will remain in a special equipment account to cover previous expenses.

Details of the management contract and lease agreement were discussed with attorneys from both the hospital board and National Healthcare. Even though the lease agreement is expected to be signed on or about September 1, final settlement is not expected for at least nine months.

The Authority approved three resolutions. One deals with giving the chairman and secretary authority to

enter into a consulting agreement with National Healthcare; the second was executing paperwork acknowledging management agreement with the city terminated and would be entered into with National Healthcare; thirdly, approved changing the name and reorganization of the present hospital authority.

Following this meeting and a special city council meeting, the Authority met Wednesday morning and gave approval and signed the paperwork on the above.

Following this detailed work, Steve Phelps, president of National Healthcare, told authority members that his firm is presently in an evaluation period with the local hospital. He also noted that they had met with the administrator, nursing director and chief of staff in a two-day seminar held recently in Dothan with key personnel from all their hospitals. "There is much promise here and more than expected," said Phelps, "and we are excited."

National is presently operating the hospital under a management agreement and will continue this posture until all agreements from state health agencies and Farmers Home Administration have been officially approved and signed. Wayland said he expects this to be completed by September. During this period of operating under the management agreement, National is receiving \$1000 a month for their services. Wayland noted that this was a token amount and his firm was spending more during this transition period.

Board of Registrars in Elba is located in the courthouse annex, and in Enterprise, in the courthouse.

County Commission Buys Equipment For Paving

The Coffee County Commission met in special session on Friday, May 27, in Enterprise and voted to purchase five used dump trucks for use in resurfacing county roads.

The county engineer had stated at an earlier meeting that the county highway dept. didn't have enough trucks to service all areas of the county, and said that by purchasing additional trucks, he could allow other vehicles to return to their work areas.

The trucks were purchased at a total cost of \$48,000, with one truck being purchased from Jerry Kirkland, of Opp, and four bought from Warrior, of Northport.

In other action at the brief meeting,

Rabid Raccoon Killed At Home Near Zion Chapel

Raccoon found on back steps of the home of Mr. Tim Bragg, Route 1, Jack (near Zion Chapel). Raccoon was killed by Mr. Bragg after exposing family

bulldog. Head was submitted to Alabama Dept. of Public Health Lab where test for rabies was positive.

All residents in this area should pay special attention to pets, livestock, and any wildlife which may be out of their natural habitat, etc. Make certain family pets (cats & dogs) have been vaccinated within the past year, if not this should be done as soon as possible.

For further assistance or information contact the Environmental Division of Coffee County Health Dept., Dr. Bruce Donaldson, County Rabies Inspector (347-0544) or the Sheriff's Dept.

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COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD member Preston Kelley listens as Supt. Vaughan tells of progress on new Kinston Elementary School.

Board Of Education Hears Progress Report

The Coffee County Board of Education met in regular session on Friday morning, May 27, in Elba and was informed by Supt. John W. Vaughan that the property survey for the new Kinston Elementary School had been completed and bids on construction of the school would be let in June.

The new school, which will house 14 classrooms, will be built in front of the current lunchroom and will necessitate the closing of a portion of a road that goes in front of the high school.

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The University of Alabama System Board of Trustees expressed their gratitude to the Dorsey family on Thursday, May 19, for the generosity which has helped so many brilliant young men and women realize their dreams and which has given the state so many fine physicians.

Mrs. Katherine Dorsey, widow of the late Claude E. Dorsey Jr., was honored at an awards luncheon at Smolian House, near the University campus. Presenting the certificate of recognition to Mrs. Dorsey are (left) John Powell, director of health professions financial aid at UAB, and (right) Paul Palmisano, M.D., associate dean of the medical school.

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